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REPARATIONS DECISION

German Vote

From our Correspondent

BONN, Thursday

The West German-Israeli Reparations Agreement was given a first reading in the Bundestag last night. There was no debate. The treaty has now been passed to the Foreign Affairs Committee for consideration.

Before the House voted on the treaty, Dr. Adenauer, the Federal Chancellor, emphasised the importance of the agreement, saying it was "one of the most important contributions to the conclusion of the saddest chapter in German history." The treaty, he said, was "a moral necessity and indispensable because the horrible guilt of the Nazi régime arose from deeds committed in the German name."

It was the German people's solemn duty to give material support to the Jews so that "the good name of our Fatherland" could be restored. Much still remained to be repaired, although the present agreement approached the limit of Germany's material capacity.

"Moral Duty"

The Chancellor emphasised that they had concluded the treaty for compelling moral reasons only, and not because it was their duty to do so under international law.

He announced that the Israeli Government had stated it would, immediately after the treaty was ratified by the Bundestag, withdraw the clause prohibiting the use of German shipping for the transfer of reparations goods.

Although Germany was anxious to maintain friendly relations with the Arab States, said Dr. Adenauer, such friendship could not be achieved by the use of threats.

In conclusion, the Chancellor expressed the hope that the agreement would create "a new basis of relationship" between the German and Jewish people. There were already signs that such a development would take place.

The treaty will be given a second and third reading in the Bundestag on March 18 and 19. The Bundesrat will again discuss the agreement on March 20. The date of final ratification has not yet been fixed.

BAN ON GERMAN SHIPS LIFTED

From Our Own Correspondent

JERUSALEM

Israel has agreed to waive the clause in its Reparations Agreement with Western Germany prohibiting German shipping from being used in the transfer of reparations goods to Israel.

A Foreign Office spokesman said here on Tuesday that this decision was taken by the Cabinet after it had been pointed out that the Bundestag (West German Lower House) could not be expected to ratify a treaty which discriminated against German shipping companies. [When the Bundesrat (Upper House) ratified the agreement last week the Government announced that it would ask Israel to abolish the clause banning the use of German shipping for the transfer of reparations goods.]

The spokesman emphasised, however, that preference would naturally be given to Israeli ships and that all goods would be transferred under Israeli supervision. The Cabinet were compelled to make a

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£665,000 SUBSCRIBED FOR J.P.A.

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

A total of £665,000 had been subscribed up to yesterday (Thursday) to the Joint Palestine Appeal by Jewish communities throughout the country. About £175,000 of this was contributed by the provincial communities.

The figures show an increase of £100,000 since last week. I learn that the community is responding more quickly to the appeal than last year when, in the same period, the total raised was £620,000.

The campaign target figure is £2,000,000.

AMERICA'S MIDDLE EAST POLICY

No "Privileges" for Israel

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT

WASHINGTON

The new United States Administration is ready to adopt a more pro-Arab policy to combat increased Russian activity in the Middle East, it is learned here. The new policy would result in equal treatment being given to all Middle Eastern countries and the elimination of what are described as "special privileges," in the form of aid, to Israel.

The State Department has refused to confirm or deny reports that Mr. John Foster Dulles, the Secretary of State, will tour the Middle East and South-East Asia in an effort to bolster up American prestige in those areas. One of the main aims of the proposed visit was said to be directed, at least partly, at demonstrating American friendship with the Arab Governments.

EISENHOWER STATEMENT

President Eisenhower has already made it clear that the United States intends to pay more attention to the Arab States during his administration. In an unusual statement after a meeting with Prince Feisal, the head of the Saudi Arabian delegation to the United Nations, on Monday, President Eisenhower expressed concern over the recent deterioration of relations between the Arab countries and the United States and promised that it would be his firm purpose to restore the confidence and trust which had previously characterised relations between the countries. He expressed the hope that the Arab leaders would be inspired by the same purpose.

According to diplomatic circles here, the President is outlining a new approach to the Middle East which involves strict fairness and impartiality towards all countries, including Israel. Though these new polices would not in any sense be directed against Israel, there would not be any special treatment for the Jewish State.

Soviet Campaign

State Department officials claim that, in the past four years, Israel received loans; grants, and credits from the United States totalling $276,517,000, compared with $229,516,000 granted to all the Arab States in the past seven years.

They maintain that Russia is conducting a propaganda campaign aimed at securing Arab oil, and that the only way to frustrate this scheme is to create a Middle East defence organisation to include the Arab States. This, they claim, is impossible if the United States continues its pro-Israeli policy.

According to Arab sources, however, the U.S. Under-Secretary of State, General Bedell Smith, has told the Arab States that American policy is aimed primarily at achieving peace between Israel and the Arab countries. He is said to have suggested that Egypt take the initiative in bringing about a satisfactory solution in the Middle East.

The Arabs are said to have received similar advice from Mr. Adlai Stevenson, the Democratic candidate in the Presidential elections. The Arabs indicated, however, that they have not the slightest intention of accepting his suggestion.

I£216,500,000 BUDGET

Israeli Estimates Reduced

From our Own Correspondent

JERUSALEM

Details of Israel's budget for the financial year 1953-54 will be presented to the Knesset by the Minister of Finance on Monday. It totals I£216,500,000, as against I£173,000,000 last year. Having regard to changes in values and exchange rates the budget shows that the Government has in fact substantially tightened its belt this year. Estimates for the Ministry of Defence are reduced from I£45,000,000 to I£42,000,000.

The Government has decided to reduce the period of free education as a means of cutting expenditure in order to balance the budget. Free education will in future be given to children between the ages of six and 13, instead of five and 13.

This economy measure is due to the failure of the municipalities to share the cost of providing free education, which was introduced only after the establishment of the State. Every effort will be made to continue the country's high standard of education.

ISRAELI REPAYMENT OF U.S.A. LOAN

From Our Own Correspondent

NEW YORK

Israel reduced its foreign debt by $5,636,000 on Monday when it repaid to the U.S.A. Export-Import Bank $3,637,000 of the $135,000,000 advanced by the Bank to the Jewish State, and interest totalling $1,999,000. Israel has now repaid $7,125,000 of the American loan.

RABBI BRODIE'S VISIT

From Our Own Correspondent

JERUSALEM

The Chief Rabbi, Rabbi I. Brodie, and Mrs. Brodie, who are due to arrive in Israel next Thursday for a visit, will be the guests of the Israeli Ministry for Religious Affairs. An "Arrangements" Committee has been set up to work out a programme for Rabbi Brodie's visit.

AUSTRALIAN BAN

Anti-Communist Move

From our Correspondent

SYDNEY

The Executive Council of Australian Jewry, which represents all Jewish communities in the Commonwealth, has instructed its affiliated bodies to secede from organisations whose policy is opposed to that of the Council and harmful to the interests of the Jewish people. Affiliated groups are specially asked to withdraw from Jewish pro-Communist organisations supporting the present campaign in Eastern Europe.

Appeal to Government

These decisions were taken here last week-end at the Council's half-yearly inter-State conference. After an exhaustive debate on the recent developments behind the Iron Curtain the Council accepted the invitation to attend the Zurich conference, and appealed to the Australian Government to support any action taken by the United Nations to combat the anti-Jewish campaign.

Other resolutions drew attention to the revival of neo-Nazism in Germany; urged the Australian Government to reconsider its decision to admit Germans into the country; supported Australian Jewry's participation in the forthcoming Maccabiah; and called for closer liaison with the Jewish communities in South-East Asia.

MOSCOW JEWS PRAY FOR STALIN

Call for Day of Fasting

From our Special Correspondent

Prayers for the recovery of Mr. Stalin, who suffered a brain hæmorrhage on Sunday, were offered on Wednesday at special synagogue services arranged by the Chief Rabbi of Moscow, Rabbi Solomon Schlieffer.

Immediately after the announcement of Mr. Stalin's grave illness, the Chief Rabbi sent out invitations to Moscow Jews to attend the services. Other religious denominations have also held services.

Yesterday (Thursday) was proclaimed by the Chief Rabbi as a day of fasting and prayer for the "great Stalin, our dear leader and teacher."

Special services were also held by the Jewish communities in Warsaw, Bucharest, and in cities of other satellite countries.

The names of the nine Russian doctors and brain specialists who are attending Stalin suggest that none of them are Jews. Some of these doctors appear for the first time in official lists. They have never previously been mentioned as brain specialists, a sphere of medical science in which Jews have for many years occupied the leading position in the Soviet Union.

KIDNAPPED ORPHANS

French Parliament's Decision

From Our Own Correspondent

PARIS

All trace has again been lost of the kidnapped Jewish war orphans, 12-year-old Gerald Finaly, and his 11-year-old brother, Robert. They were last heard of leaving the monastery of Lacano, in Spain, on the night of February 15, on a lorry which drove off in the direction of Madrid.

In response to a renewed démarche by the French Ambassador in Madrid, the Spanish Foreign Office has denied any knowledge of the children's whereabouts and has suggested that they may possibly have been smuggled into Portugal or even shipped off to South America. A French police mission has arrived in Lisbon, but its investigations there have yielded no clue.

Meanwhile there have been further talks here in cordial terms between Rabbinate and Church. It has been stated that the Primate of Gaul is still trying to persuade the Primate of Spain

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SHECHITA TALKS BREAK DOWN

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

The direct talks held on Monday between the Hon. Officers of the London Shechita Board and the Agudas Hashochtim V'Shomrim (Cattle Section) have broken down.

The dispute between the Board and the shochetim will now be the subject of a *Din Torah* to be given by a tribunal consisting of the Chief Rabbi, the Dayanim, the Haham, and two independent laymen—Dr. Oskar Rabinowicz and Mr. Oscar Philipp.

At a recent meeting of the Board (reported in our columns) a resolution moved by the President, Mr. H. Gaventa, was adopted, instructing the Hon. Officers to reopen direct negotiations with the cattle staff. The resolution added that "failing a solution, the Board accepts the *psak* of the Ecclesiastical Authorities and instructs the Hon. Officers to attend the *Din Torah*."

The main claims of the shochetim are for a £6 a week wage increase, payment of wages for the week's work lost through the recent dispute, and the withdrawal by the Board of the notices terminating the cattle staff's service with the Board.

There will be a 2s. kasher meat ration this week, we are informed by Mr. M. Levin, Chairman of the Kosher Retail Buyers' Group and Senior Meat Allocator. The extra 3d. ration is to be given in compensation for the rations lost during the recent shechita disputes.

EMERGENCY PROTEST CONFERENCE POSTPONED

From Jewish Chronicle Correspondents

Thursday

The emergency conference convened by the Jewish Agency to consider the plight of East European Jewry has been postponed because of this week's developments in Russia, it is announced by the London office of the Jewish Agency. The conference—if it is to be held—will probably meet in Zurich in the middle of April.

The decision to postpone the conference was taken at a meeting in Jerusalem this morning of the Jewish Agency Executive, which had already exchanged views on the matter with American organisations invited to the Zurich deliberations. Three organisations—the Anglo-Jewish Association, the American Jewish Committee, and the Agudas Israel (London Executive)—had previously asked the Jewish Agency to postpone the conference in view of this week's events in the Soviet Union.

Before the postponement all preparations for the beginning of the conference at the Zurich Kongresshaus had been completed. Most of the representative Jewish organisations and international groups invited had agreed to attend the deliberations. All the British, French, and U.S. groups invited, including the American Jewish Committee and the Anglo-Jewish Association, were to send delegations. No refusals had been received. The Agudas Israel World Organisation was due to decide on its participation later to-day. Many Agudist leaders are reported to have opposed the conference, fearing that it might aggravate the situation of East European Jewry.

About 1,000 guests from Switzerland and other countries had been invited to attend the conference.

British groups of Jewish non-governmental organisations having consultative status with the United Nations met in London on Monday to discuss the possibility of joint action at the Zurich conference. The meeting, it is learned, was abortive. The World Jewish Congress (British Section) failed to send representatives to the talks, and the other organisations were unable to agree on a common policy.

A number of Jewish organisations in the United States had postponed their conferences, arranged for next week, to enable their representatives to attend the Zurich talks.

TURKISH DELEGATION

From our Correspondent

ISTANBUL

The Turkish Government is to allow the Grand Rabbinate here to send delegates to the Zurich conference. This will be the first time that Turkish Jewry have been permitted to participate in an international Jewish conference.

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BIRTHS

ABRAHAMS.—A son (Richard Ian) was born to Netta (née Masbaum), wife of Ben Abrahams, of 14, Ormesby Way, Kenton, on Wednesday, February 25, at Kingsbury Maternity Hospital. (A brother for Michelle.)

BENZACK.—A son (Raymond) was born on February 25, to Marie (née Bloom), wife of Harry Benzack, 7, Warren Drive, Elm Park, Essex. (First grandchild for Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Bloom.)

COOKSON.—A daughter (Alison Jane) was born on February 26, at the Middlesex Hospital, W.1, to Daphne (née Hart) and Martin Cookson, of 101b, Alexandra Road, N.W.8.

DEUTSCH.—On March 1, to Jill (née Davis), wife of Ronald Deutsch, of Crowleys Oak, Ullenhall, Warwickshire, a son.

DYNE.—The precious gift of a son to Denis and Bernice Dyne (née Solomon) on February 28. (First grandchild for Mr. and Mrs. Michael [Mick] Solomon, of Gateshead, and Mr. and Mrs. Lulu Dyne, of Port Elizabeth, South Africa.)

ENGEL.—A daughter (Sharon Denise) was born on Monday, March 2, at the Bearsted Memorial Hospital, Hampton Court, to Fay (née Estreich), wife of Eliash Engel, of 77, Warwick Avenue, Egham, Surrey.

ERIERA.—A son (Michael Neil) was born on February 28, at the Bearsted Memorial Home, to Doris (née Davis), wife of Harry Eriera, of 1, Osbaldeston Road, N.16. (First grandchild for Mr. and Mrs. S. Davis and third grandchild for Mr. and Mrs. A. Eriera.)

GOLKER.—On February 20, at Bet Haemek, Nahariya, Israel, to Gabrielle (née Gould) and Ivor Golker, a son (Jonathan).

GREEN.—Raena (née Sylvester) and Lionel Green, of 57, Sandon Road, Birmingham, are delighted to announce the birth of their daughter (Michal) on Thursday, February 26, 1953.

GREENWOOD.—A son (Martin Henry), on Monday, March 2, at Northlands Nursing Home, to Sybil (née Rose) and Robert Greenwood, of 74, Melrose Avenue, Cardiff. (First grandchild for Mr. and Mrs. A. Rose.)

HARRIS.—On Tuesday, March 3, 1953, at 27, Welbeck Street, W.1, a daughter was born to Renee (née Felt) and Michael (Mick) Harris, of 24, Chapel Street, Edgware Road, N.W.1.

HYAMS.—A son was born to Kitty (née Zetter) and Godfrey Hyams on February 25, at Rochford Hospital, Southend-on-Sea.

KAHN.—On February 26, to Carla Vivienne (née Copeland) and Franz Daniel Kahn, a daughter (Judith Naomi). (First great-grandchild for Mrs. S. Goldstone.)—38, Upper Park Road, Salford, 7.

KLEIN.—A daughter (Jacqueline Edith) was born on February 26 at the Bearsted Memorial Hospital, to Regina (née Diamondstein), wife of Harry Klein, 7, Ferry House, Clapton, E.5.

LAZAR.—On February 25, at Sandford Nursing Home, Glyddaeth Avenue, to Vicki (née Livingstone) and Joe Lazar, a son (Terence David).—"Cunliffe," Gogarth Road, Llandudno.

MANDEL.—On March 1, 1953, at University College Hospital, to Monica (née Solomon), wife of Edward Mandel, a daughter (Merilla Judith).

MARTIN.—A son (Matthew Paul) was born on Friday, February 20, at the Kingsbury Maternity Hospital, to Dorothy (née Byer), wife of John Martin, 8, Rushout Avenue, Northwick Park, Middlesex. (A brother for Helen.)

NEWHOUSE.—On March 2, at Withington Hospital, Manchester, 20, to Joan (née Goldstone), wife of Dr. Vernon L. Newhouse, a son.—55, Victoria Avenue, Didsbury, Manchester, 20.

NISPEL.—On February 27, at Mayfield Nursing Home, to Ruth and Ronald Nispel, a daughter (Marianne).—80, Sandy Lane, Prestwich, Lancs.

Births—(*Continued*)

ROSE.—On February 25, to Irene (née Orgel), wife of Richard I. Rose, a daughter.—44, Wykeham Road, N.W.4.

ROSENBLATT.—On February 18, at Liverpool Maternity Hospital, to Heather (née Bredski), wife of Eric Rosenblatt, a daughter (Lesley).

SASSOON.—On February 25, 1953, at Doriscourt Nursing Home, to Gladys (née Mesrie), wife of Neville Sassoon, a son.—4, Marton Avenue, Didsbury, Manchester.

SELNER.—A daughter (Linda) was born on February 28, to Gertrude (née Feld) and Aaron Selner, of 63, Clissold Crescent, N.16.

SHINE.—A daughter (Elizabeth Anne), on February 26, at the Middlesex Hospital, to Susan (née Ansell), wife of Norman Shine, 35, Cheyneys Avenue, Canons Park, Edgware. (A sister for Jonathan.)

SILMAN.—A daughter (Judith Ann) was born on February 25, to Trude (née Feldmann), wife of Norman Silman, 668, Scott Hall Road, Leeds, 7.

SIMON.—A daughter (Ann) was born on February 27, 1953, at the Garrett Anderson Maternity Home, to Sarah Edwina (née Alvarez), wife of Maurice Simon, 58, Gurney Drive, Hampstead Garden Suburb, N.2.

STOCKDALE.—A daughter (Marian Eve) was born on Wednesday, February 18, to Helga (née Pufeles) and A. Stockdale.—105, Francklyn Gardens, Edgware, Middlesex.

VENITT.—On March 3, at the Bearsted Memorial Hospital, to Rifka (née Rosenberg), wife of the Rev. Samuel Venitt, of 71, Brook Green, W.6, a son.

BARMITZVAH

COHEN.—Stephen, only son of the Rev. N. and Mrs. Cohen, of 24, Jane Street, E.1, will read the Sidra (פקודי) and פרשת החדש הפטורה at the Fenton Street Synagogue on March 14, 1953.

GOLINSKI.—Philip, only son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Golinski, 27, Cazenove Mansions, London, N.16, will read Maftir and Haftara (כי תשא פ׳ פרה) on Sabbath, March 7, 1953, at the Clapton Synagogue, Lea Bridge Road, E.5. Kiddush will be held after the service.

KLEIN.—Howard Malcolm, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Klein, of 134, Stradbroke Grove, Ilford, will read Maftir and Haftara on Saturday, March 7, 1953, at the Trinity Hall, Hermon Hill, South Woodford. Kiddush in synagogue after service.

LUCAS.—Geoffrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Lucas, 132, Chapeltown Road, Leeds, will read a portion of the Law on Saturday, March 7, at the Psalms of David Synagogue, Reginald Terrace, Leeds.

LUNZER.—Ivor (ישראל), only son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lunzer, 65, Wellington Street East, Salford, 7, will read the Maftir and Haftara on שבת פ׳ פרה (March 7), at Levy House, Bury Old Road, Salford, 8.

MYERS.—Melville Lawrence, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Myers, of 111, Cambridge Heath Road, E.1, will read Maftir and Haftara at the Great Garden Street Synagogue, Greatorex Street, E.1, on Saturday, March 7, 1953. Kiddush will be held at 30, Collingwood House, Cambridge Heath Road, E.1, after the service.

RAPOPORT.—ברוך (Bernard), younger son of Dayan and Mrs. A. Rapoport, of 20, St. Mark's Rise, E.8, will read מפטיר והפטרה on ש״ק כי תשא, פ׳ פרה (Saturday, March 7, 1953), at the Biala Beth Hamedrash, 10, St. Mark's Rise, Dalston, E.8.

SACKER.—Anthony, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Sacker, of 8, Mount View Road, Crouch Hill, N.4, will read a portion of the Law at the Finsbury Park District Synagogue, Princess Crescent, N.4, on Saturday, March 14, 1953.

SAUNDERS.—Stuart Henry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Saunders, of 21, Vaughan Avenue, N.W.4, will read a portion of the Law at Hendon Synagogue, Raleigh Close, on Saturday, March 7, 1953.

SCHARVONA.—Michael Stuart, elder child of Mr. and Mrs. H. Scharvona, of 149, Ellesmere Road, Willesden, will read Maftir and Haftara at the Dollis Hill Synagogue, Parkside, Dollis Hill, N.W.2, on Sabbath, March 7, 1953.

SMITH.—Nicholas Jeremy, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Smith, will read Maftir and Haftara at the Hampstead Garden Suburb Synagogue, Norrice Lea, on March 7, 1953. Kiddush will be held in the Synagogue Hall.

SOLSBERG.—Ivor, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Solsberg, of 4, Waverley Court, N.W.6, will read a portion of the Law at Brondesbury Synagogue, Chevening Road, on Saturday, March 7.

ENGAGEMENTS

DEFRIES : ELLENBERG.—Mr. and Mrs. W. Defries, of 41, Wakefield Street, E.6, have pleasure in announcing the engagement of their elder daughter, Shirley, to John (Hyman) Ellenberg, B.Sc., youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Ellenberg, of 4, Brockdish Avenue, Barking.

GENDLER : GLICKMAN.—The engagement is announced of Marlene, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Gendler, of 137, Bethnal Green Road, London, E.2, to Edward (Ted), only son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Glickman, of 479, Cambridge Heath Road, London, E.2.

JONAS : HYMAN.—Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jonas, of Alton, Hants, have pleasure in announcing the engagement of their only daughter, Ann, to Basil, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hyman, of 176, Finchley Road, N.W.3.

MANTLE : COHEN.—The engagement is announced of Lilian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alec Mantle, of 45, Sandringham Road, E.8, to Albert, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Cohen, of 26, Damien Street, E.1.

MYER : LAMB.—The engagement is announced of Henry Myer, elder son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Ernst Meyer, of Elberfeld, to Vera, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred L. Lamb, of 21, Hill Crest Court, Shoot-up Hill, London, N.W.2.

RICHER : WOLLENBERG.—The engagement is announced of Myrna (Milly), younger daughter of Mrs. Richer and the late Mr. Isaac Richer, of 71, Lordship Road, N.16, to Joseph, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. L. Wollenberg, of 236, Richmond Road, E.8.

FORTHCOMING MARRIAGES

GOLDSTEIN : OBERMAN.—The marriage between Helena Mavis, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Goldstein, 17, Leadale Road, N.16, and Harry, only son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Oberman, 44, Highbury Hill, N.5, will be solemnised on Sunday, March 8, at 2.30 p.m. at Central Synagogue, Great Portland Street, W.1.

Forthcoming Marriages—(*Continued*)

LUSTIG : SCHWARTZ.—The engagement is announced and the marriage will take place of Muriel, youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. Lustig, of 4, St. Agnes Terrace, Hackney, E.9, to Sam Schwartz (Black), son of Mr. M. Schwartz and the late Mrs. E. Schwartz, of 55, Waterloo Road, Cardiff, at the New Synagogue, Egerton Road, N.16, at 3 p.m. on Sunday, March 22, 1953.

MARRIAGES

GODFREY : KAMENEL.—The marriage took place in Casablanca, on Wednesday, February 25, 1953, of Miss Monica Godfrey, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Godfrey, 7, St. Dunstan's Road, W.6, to Theodore Kamenel, of New York City.

SILVER WEDDINGS

GERSTEIN.—Mr. and Mrs. Morris Gerstein (Ray Stoppie), of 104, Cricketfield Road, Clapton, E.5, are very happy to announce the 25th anniversary of their marriage, which was solemnised at the Congregation of Jacob Synagogue, E.1, on March 11, 1928.

KALMS.—Sidney and Kitty (Kit) Kalms (Zisslin) announce the 25th anniversary of their marriage, solemnised on March 14, 1928, at Walthamstow Synagogue, Boundary Road.—30, Valkyrie Road, Westcliff.

MEYERS.—Mr. and Mrs. M. Meyers (Bertha Kerner), 14, Elmcroft Avenue, Golders Green, London, N.W.11, announce the 25th anniversary of their marriage, which was solemnised at the Synagogue, Alfred Place, London, W.1, on March 4, 1928.

PETROOK.—Mr. and Mrs. David Petrook (née Zalasko) are happy to announce the 25th anniversary of their marriage, which was solemnised at the Western Synagogue, W.1, on March 11, 1928.—45, Clarendon Court, Temple Fortune, Finchley, N.W.11.

ROSE.—Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Rose (Adelaide Bearman) have pleasure in announcing the 25th anniversary of their marriage, solemnised at the New Synagogue, Egerton Road, N.16, on March 11, 1928.—40, Weston House, King Edward's Road, E.9.

PEARL WEDDINGS

SHIELL.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shiell (formerly Windsor Road, Forest Gate, London, now South Africa) happily announce the 30th anniversary of their marriage, solemnised at Philpot Street Synagogue, London, on March 6, 1923.

RUBY WEDDINGS

MURRAY.—Mr. and Mrs. Jack Murray (Annie Soskin), 5, Broadhurst Avenue, Edgware, happily announce the 40th anniversary of their marriage, solemnised at Duke's Place Synagogue, E.C., on March 12, 1913.

GOLDEN WEDDINGS

LANG.—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lang (Rose Zurkowsky), of 10, Park Grove, Hull, take pleasure in announcing the 50th anniversary of their marriage, which took place on March 8, 1903.

DEATHS

AARONS.—On Tuesday, February 24, Rose Aarons, late of Jubilee Street, wife of the late Israel Aarons, passed away with tragic suddenness. Very deeply mourned by her sorrowing daughter, Clara, son, Ivan, son-in-law, grandchildren, and a vast circle of relatives and friends. Will always be remembered for her loving kindness and sweet smile. May her dear soul rest in everlasting peace.

ABEL.—On February 25, suddenly, Leopold Abel, (אליעזר פסחמה בן דוד דן) in his 69th year. Deeply mourned by his wife and family.—10, Hamilton Avenue, Leeds. איש חסיד היה ברוגן

BARON.—On Wednesday, March 4, Henry Baron, aged 46, passed peacefully away after much suffering bravely borne. Deeply mourned by his devoted wife, Nettie, daughter, Hazel, relatives, and friends. May his dear soul rest in peace.—9, Ashfield Road, W.3.

Baron.—On March 4, Henry Baron. He will always be sadly missed by Mr. and Mrs. Phil Cohen, 11, Ashfield Road, W.3.

BEACH.—On Thursday, February 26, 1953, Harry Beach, beloved husband of Sophie, passed away peacefully in his sleep. Deeply mourned by his wife, son, daughter, relatives, and friends.—10, Priory Avenue, Salford, 7.

BERGSON.—On Wednesday, February 25, 1953 (Adar 10, 5713), Philip Bergson, of Bnei Braq, Israel (late of Sunderland), passed away after a brief illness. Deeply mourned by his sorrowing children, sons-in-law, daughters-in-law, grandchildren, sister, Annie, relatives, and friends.

Bergson.—Philip Bergson has passed away in Israel. Deeply mourned by daughter, Miriam, son-in-law, Norman, and grandchildren, Barry and Elisabeth (Nottingham).

BLACK.—On February 25 (Adar 10, 5713), Rachel Black, of 29, Woodlands Street, Cheetham, Manchester. Deeply mourned by her sorrowing daughter, Leila (Goldberg), son-in-law, Norman, and grandchild, David. May her dear soul rest in peace.—5, Falmouth Gardens, Ilford, Essex.

Black.—On February 25 (Adar 10, 5713), Rachel Black, of 29, Woodlands Street, Cheetham, Manchester. Deeply mourned by her sorrowing daughter, Clarice (Barget), son-in-law, Moss, grandchildren, Harry, Susan, and Stuart. May her dear soul rest in peace.—2, Tillotson Road, Ilford, Essex.

BLANK.—On February 25, 1953, at 28, Victoria Road, Fallowfield, Manchester, 14, Lewis Blank, aged 72, passed away. Beloved husband of Rose, dear and devoted father of William, Rae Science, and Ethel Hyams.

BOLTIANSKY.—On Wednesday, March 4, in a nursing home in Manchester, Samuel Boltiansky, aged 82 years, devoted father of Lily Ross, of 39, Gurney Drive, London, N.2. Deeply mourned also by his son-in-law, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and other relatives.

COHEN.—On Thursday, February 26, Amelia (Milly) Cohen (née Goodman), aged 68, passed peacefully away. Deeply mourned by her loving husband, David, son, Joseph, daughter-in-law, Minnie, granddaughter, grandson, relatives, and friends. Gone from our midst, but always in our thoughts.—"Virginia Planter," 124, Virginia Road, Shoreditch.

Cohen.—On Thursday, February 26, Amelia (Milly) Cohen (née Goodman) passed peacefully away. Deeply mourned by her sisters, Lena, Jeny, Sophia, brother, Mike, nephews, and nieces. May her dear soul rest in peace.—27, Cavendish Drive, Edgware.

Deaths—(*Continued*)

COHEN.—On February 24, in his 72nd year, Myer Cohen, of Grove Road, Edgware. Deeply mourned by his heartbroken sons, Harry and Bernard (Bernard), daughters-in-law, Dolly and Rita, and grandchildren, Michael, Jennifer, and John. God rest his dear soul.—5, Manor Mansions, Belsize Park Gardens.

Cohen.—On February 24, at Edgware Hospital, after a short illness, Myer Cohen, beloved brother of Woolf (Wally Conn), Deborah (Mrs. M. Goldstein), Annie (Mrs. A. Leigh), Sarah (Mrs. H. Caplin), Lily (Mrs. H. Offenbach), and Rae (Mrs. J. Green). Deeply mourned by them, brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law, nephews, nieces, relatives, and friends.

COHEN.—On February 26, Arone J. Cohen (late of Cromer). He could truly say "I have not wasted my day."—Devonia Hall, Beresford Gardens, Cliftonville.

Cohen.—On February 26, Arone J. Cohen. Deeply mourned by brother, Aubrey, and sister-in-law, Gertie.

COPELAND (Copelovitch).—On Monday, March 2, our dear father, Isaac Copeland, passed away. Deeply mourned by his children, Jack, Eddie, Lily (Kaye), Ray (Morgan), Anne (Arkus), Rose (Conick), daughters-in-law, Kitty and Binnie, sons-in-law, Samuel, Harry, Sam, and Reg, brothers and sister, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, relatives, Mechutanim, and friends. Loved and respected by all who knew him. A kind and gentle soul has gone to rest. Shiva ends, at 84, Park Avenue North, Willesden Green, N.W.10, on Monday morning, March 9.

Copeland.—Sincere sympathy is extended by the staff of Kitty Copeland Ltd., to all members of the family of the late Mr. I. Copeland in the sad loss which they have sustained.

COURTNEY.—On February 27, Rose Courtney (née Freedman), aged 42, passed away after a tragic illness. Deeply mourned by sorrowing husband, Henri, daughter, Lynda, sisters, Bertha (Mrs. Leonard), Annette (Mrs. Brown), brothers, Sidney and Zigmund Freedman, brothers-in-law, Horace, Morris, sisters-in-law, Queenie, Betty, nephews, nieces, relatives, and friends. A precious jewel has gone from our hearts. God rest her dear soul in everlasting peace.—2, Cambridge Court, W.2.

DELLAL.—On Thursday, February 26, 1953, in her 90th year, Rahma Dellal, widow of the late Aboudy Dellal. Deeply mourned by her sorrowing daughters, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren.—131, Hammersmith Road, W.14.

DIAMOND.—On Friday, February 27, Rose Diamond (née Kaminsky), beloved wife of the late Nathan Diamond. Sadly missed by her sons, daughters, sons-in-law, daughters-in-law, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, nephews and nieces, and all friends.—41, Downham Crescent, Prestwich.

DZIALOSZYNSKI (Day).—On February 19, Joseph Dzialoszynski (Day). Mourned by his wife, Betty (in Israel), stepchildren, Lilian (Perlow) and Aubrey Lieberman, son-in-law, and daughter-in-law.

ELTON.—We deeply mourn the passing of our dear friend, Max Elton, on Monday, February 23. A man whose innate kindliness endeared him to all. He lived the meaning of a good Jew.—Ena and Harry Silver.

EPSTEIN.—On Friday, February 27, Deborah Epstein, aged 75, widow of Moss Epstein, mother of Carmel, Freda, Ruth, and Victor.

FABRICANT.—On Tuesday, February 24, Leah Fabricant. Deeply mourned by her loving children, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, grandchildren, relatives, and friends. All who knew her loved her. אשת חיל מי ימצא ורחק מפנינים מכרה—85, Addison Road, Hove, Sussex.

FEIST.—Early on שבת זכור morning, February 28, Rachel Feist, aged 17, suddenly passed away peacefully. Deeply mourned by sorrowing parents, brothers, sister, grandmother, relatives, and friends. ת׳נ׳צ׳ב׳ה Shiva at 142, Abbey Road, N.W.6.

FINEBERG.—On Wednesday, February 25, Rachel, widow of the late Abe Fineberg. Deeply mourned by her loving niece and nephew, May (Jimmie) and Gerald Elfenbaum and sister, Ethel Bianco.—Blackpool.

FISHMAN.—On February 26, Alexander Fishman, aged 63, of 128, Aldersgate Street, E.C.1. Deeply mourned by his wife, Annie, sons, Lionel and Joseph, daughter, Pauline, daughter-in-law, Joan (née Lens), son-in-law, Max Pearl, brothers, Monte and Herman (U.S.A.), sisters, Annie (Newblatt) and Freda (Rose), brother-in-law, sisters-in-law, nephews, nieces, relatives, and friends. May he rest in peace.

Fishman.—On February 26, Alexander Fishman. Deeply mourned by his sister-in-law, Nellie White, and all her family.—120, Borough High Street, S.E.1.

FOX.—On Monday, March 2, 1953 (Shushan Purim, 5713), Freda Fox (née Pearlman), aged 43. Deeply mourned by her sorrowing mother, husband, children, sisters, brothers, relatives, and friends.—3, Vaughan Avenue, Hendon, N.W.4.

GLICKSMAN.—On Monday, March 2, 1953, Harris (Hashka) Glicksman. Deeply mourned by his wife, son, daughters, sons-in-law, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, relatives, and friends. Shiva at 332, Commercial Road, E.1.

GOLDBERG.—On March 1, 1953, Mrs. Bessie Goldberg passed peacefully away. Mourned by her brother, sisters, sister-in-law, brother-in-law, nephews, nieces, and friends. Shiva at 25, Broadhurst Gardens, N.W.6, and at Cranleigh, Surrey.

GOLDING.—On March 3, with tragic suddenness, Rose Golding, beloved wife of Alf and darling mummy of Rene and Lionel. Deeply mourned by her daughter-in-law, Lily, son-in-law, Jack, grandsons, Anthony and Howard, sister, brother, brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law, relatives, and friends. Shiva at 13, Pleydell Avenue, Stamford Brook, W.6.

GREEN.—On Adar 9 (February 24, 1953), Marks (Max) Green, aged 66, after a long illness patiently borne. Deeply mourned by his devoted wife, sons, daughters-in-law, grandchildren, sister-in-law, relatives, and a large circle of friends.—1a, Grosvenor Road, Dublin.

HYMAN.—On Saturday, February 28, Etty, aged 85 years, beloved wife of Leopold Hyman. Deeply mourned by her husband and son, Abraham. May her dear soul rest in peace.—3, St. George's Terrace, Newcastle upon Tyne, 2.

Hyman.—On Saturday, February 28, Etty Hyman passed away. Deeply mourned by her sorrowing son, Isadore, daughter-in-law, Zilda, and grandchildren. May her dear soul rest in peace.—"Rosemount," Lethington Road, Whitecraigs, Glasgow.

Hyman.—On February 28, Etty Hyman, of 3, St. George's Terrace, Newcastle upon Tyne, 2. Deeply mourned by her daughter-in-law, Sylvia, grandson, David, and Mechutan, Moisha Brodie.—11, Adeline Gardens, Newcastle upon Tyne, 3.

JACOB.—On February 26, Milly Jacob, passed peacefully away. Sadly missed by her brother and sister-in-law, Hymie and Hettie Brenbolz.

Deaths—(*Continued*)

JIMMICK.—On Saturday, February 28, Sarah Jimmick, wife of the late Joseph Jimmick (late of Greatorex Street, E.1), passed peacefully away. Deeply mourned by her devoted children, Hilda (Levy), Israel (Issy), and Harry (in Israel), sisters and brother, Tsiril, Fanny, and Morris, son-in-law, daughters-in-law, sister-in-law, brother-in-law, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, and friends.—7, Valkyrie Road, Westcliff.

KLAVIR.—On Tuesday, February 24, in Jerusalem, our dearly beloved father, Simon Klavir, passed peacefully away. Deeply mourned by his sorrowing son, David, daughter-in-law, Renée, and grandchildren, Roger and Barbara. May his dear soul rest in everlasting peace.—7, Harrowby Court, Seymour Place, W.1.

KOWALSKI.—On Sunday, March 1, suddenly, the Rev. Chaim Kowalski, aged 59. Deeply mourned by his wife, son, daughter, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, relatives, and friends. Shiva at 40, Horton Road, London, E.8.

LEE.—On Friday, February 27, with tragic suddenness, at "Garcliffe," Astley Road, Stalybridge, Cheshire, David Lee, aged 53, the beloved husband of Essie and adored father of Joan (Mrs. Sydney Brown, St. Annes-on-Sea), Barbara (Mrs. Stanley Langer, Prestwich), and Pamela, darling grandpa of Michael and Philip, devoted brother of Bella (Mrs. Samuel [Sam] Morris, Southport). Deeply mourned, and so sadly missed by his heartbroken wife, daughters, grandchildren, sister, parents-in-law, sons-in-law, sisters-in-law, brothers-in-law, relatives, and friends. Gone from our midst, but for ever in our hearts. May his dear soul rest in peace.

Lee.—On Friday, February 27, David Lee, darling daddy of Joan (Brown), father-in-law of Sydney, and adored grandpa of Michael.—1, Links Road, St. Annes-on-Sea.

Lee.—On Friday, February 27, David Lee, darling daddy of Barbara (Langer), father-in-law of Stanley, and adored grandpa of Philip.—12, Cranbrook Drive, Prestwich.

LUBLINER.—On Sunday, March 1, Leah Lubliner, after a long illness. Deeply mourned by her brothers, Harris, Solly, Isadore (Rappaport), sisters, Minnie, Becky (Mrs. Bagisch, of Hove), brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law, nephews, and nieces. Peace to her dear soul. Shiva, at 4, Teignmouth Road, Brondesbury, terminates on Sunday morning, March 8.

LYONS.—On Saturday, February 28, at Ramsgate, the death occurred suddenly of Saul Martin Lyons, beloved brother of Nellie Goulding, Dora Berk, Kate Cohen, and Rae Lubel.—64, Cranhurst Road, N.W.2.

MARSDEN.—On Tuesday, February 24, Henry Moses Marsden passed away after a short illness. Deeply mourned by sons, daughters, brothers, sisters, and family.—4, Cranley Avenue, Westcliff-on-Sea.

MENDLEBOHN.—On Friday, February 27, 1953, Clara Mendlebohn (née Osland). Mourned by her daughters, Rose, Pauline, Kitty, her brother and sister, sons-in-law, grandchildren, relatives, and friends. Shiva at Flat 3, 183, Gower Street, N.W.1.

MILLER.—On February 27, Regina (Cookie) Miller passed peacefully away after a short illness bravely borne. Deeply mourned by her sister, Frances (Cutler), brother, Benjamin, brother-in-law, Morris, sister-in-law, Rose, niece and nephews, Joan, Gerry, and Michael, relatives, and friends. May her dear soul rest in peace. Shiva terminates March 6.—3/11, Northwood Hall, Highgate, N.6.

MORRIS.—On February 26, at Bournemouth, suddenly, Anna, beloved wife of the late Samuel Morris, J.P., of Doncaster, darling mother of William, Ellen, and Edna, and sister of Gretchen. Deeply mourned and missed by her sons-in-law, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and all her relatives and friends. May our dearest one rest in peace.

NACHEMSOHN.—On March 1, Jacob Nachemsohn, aged 59, passed peacefully away. Deeply mourned by his loving wife, Kathe, children, grandchildren, mother-in-law, sisters, brothers, and relatives. Shiva at 130, Mount Street, W.1.

PELTON.—On Tuesday, March 3, 1953, Rene Pelton passed away with tragic suddenness. Very deeply mourned by her husband, Alan, sons, Ronald and David, parents, sister, brother, brother-in-law, sister-in-law, relatives, and friends. May her dear soul rest in peace. Shiva at 27, West Hill, Wembley, Middlesex.

Pelton.—On Tuesday, March 3, Rene Pelton, beloved cousin of Millie and Charles Sabel also Lily and Humphrey Sabel and the Sake family (in U.S.A.), by whom she is deeply mourned. Peace to her dear soul.—10, Commercial Road, E.1.

PETER.—On Wednesday, February 25, 1953, Harry Peter (late of Brighton) passed away with tragic suddenness in Leeds. Deeply mourned by his wife, Milly, sons, Ben, Morry, Woolfie, Jack, Syd, Emanuel, Mick, and Reuben, daughters, Betty, Freda, Ann, and Fay, sons-in-law, daughters-in-law and grandchildren. May his dear soul rest in peace.—16, Easterly Crescent, Leeds, 8.

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Deaths—(*Continued*)

RAITZ.—On March 2, 1953, at the London Jewish Hospital, Esther Raitz, S.R.N. Deeply mourned by her brother, sisters, sister-in-law, brothers-in-law, relatives, and a large circle of friends.

Raitz.—On Monday, March 2, 1953, Esther Raitz passed away after long suffering. Our dear friend and colleague.—Sisters, London Jewish Hospital.

SAFFER.—On February 27, Annie Saffer, aged 74, passed away suddenly. Deeply mourned by her sorrowing husband, Mark, son, Joe, sister, Sarah, daughter-in-law, Faye, grandchildren, Shirley, Betty, and Michael, relatives, and friends. May her dear soul rest in peace.—87, Greenfield Gardens, Hendon, N.W.2.

SAVILLE.—On February 27, Albert Powis Saville, aged 74, of 547, Finchley Road, N.W.3, dearly loved husband of Florence Saville, and father of Gordon and Gwen. Cremation private.

SCHILDKRAUT.—On February 20, Harry Solomon Schildkraut. Deeply mourned by his sister, Edie, brother, Adolph, sister-in-law, Sarah, and their families.—86, Lalcham Road, Staines, Middlesex.

SEGAR.—On Saturday, February 28, Leah Segar, aged 67, beloved wife of Joseph Segar, of 230, Brady Street Buildings, E.1, passed away after a long illness bravely born. Deeply mourned by her loving husband, son, Louis, daughters, Julia and Bessie, sons-in-law, Ben Fife and Julian Cross, grandchildren, Leslie, Gerald, Arlene, and Susan, relatives, and friends. May her dear soul rest in peace. American papers, please copy.

SHACK.—On March 1, Anna Shack, aged 85, passed away peacefully. Deeply mourned by her daughter, Zelma, son-in-law (Lew Clements), grandchildren, great-grandchild, relatives, and friends. May her dear soul rest in everlasting peace. Shiva at 5, Penshurst Court, Edgware.

SLAVID.—On Friday, February 27, Marks Slavid. Deeply mourned by his sorrowing wife, sons, daughters-in-law, grandchildren, brother, and sister. May his dear soul rest in everlasting peace.—1197a, Finchley Road, N.W.11.

SMICKLER.—On Saturday, February 28 (Purim), Jack Smickler, after a short illness. Deeply mourned by his wife, son, relatives, and friends.—27, Osbaldeston Road, N.16.

STOCKFEDER.—On Sunday, March 1, our dear mother, Yetta Stockfeder, passed away. Deeply mourned by her sons and daughters, grandchildren, daughter-in-law, and sons-in-law.—16, Greatorex House, Whitechapel, E.1.

SUGARMAN.—On Tuesday, March 3, 1953, Jack Sugarman, beloved husband of Kitty. Deeply mourned by his sorrowing wife, children, grandchildren, sister, and brothers. Shiva at 72, Kingsley Way, N.2.

TAYLOR.—On Thursday, February 26, Millie Taylor (née Rosenthal), of 107, Dartmouth Road, N.W.2. Deeply mourned by her loving husband, Sam, sisters, Golda (Rose), Nancy (Norden), Ellen (Grossman), Dora, brothers, Jack, Norman, Harry (U.S.A.), sisters-in-law, brothers-in-law, nephews, nieces, relatives, and friends. May her dear soul rest in peace.

Taylor.—The staff of S. and L. Deyong Ltd., Houndsditch, extend their heartfelt sympathy to the husband and family of their late friend and colleague, Mrs. Millie Taylor (Rosenthal). She will be greatly missed by all of them.

TEFF.—On Sunday, February 22, Fanny Teff passed peacefully away in her 88th year. Deeply mourned and sadly missed by her sons, daughters, large family, and all who knew her.—61, Bethune Road, N.16.

Teff.—On Sunday, February 22, Fanny Teff passed away. Deeply mourned by her daughter, Dora (Sugarman), grandsons, Mark, Alec, Sydney, and wives, granddaughter, Minnie, and husband, great-grandchildren, Alan and Ruth. Her memory will live for ever in our hearts.

WOLFF.—On February 27, Rachel, aged 88, wife of the late Edward Wolff, passed peacefully away. Deeply mourned by her children, Louise, Bessie, Henry, Maurice, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren.—80, Abinger Road, W.4.

WYNE.—On February 26, Henry Wyne (late of Cork), to the inexpressible grief of his loving wife, Bessie, sons, Ernest, Stanley, daughter, Freda, son-in-law, Harold, and grandchildren.—120, Winson Green Road, Birmingham.

YAFFE.—On Saturday, Adar 6, 5713 (February 21, 1953), after a long and painful illness, Wolfe Yaffe, dearly beloved husband of Dorothy, passed peacefully away. Sadly missed and deeply mourned by his sorrowing wife, children, Jacob and Helen, sister, Edith, brother, David, relatives, and friends.—71, Braemar Road, Fallowfield, Manchester.

IN MEMORIAM

DIED ON ACTIVE SERVICE

BAKER.—In loving memory of Sydney Baker (Queen's Royal Regt.), who was killed March 8, 1945. Always in the thoughts of his parents, brother, sister, and brother-in-law.—Threeways, Meols, Cheshire.

RAFER.—In ever loving and cherished memory of our dear son and brother, Joseph (Jerry) Rafer, R.A.F.V.R., who was taken from us on March 8, 1941. Deeply mourned and missed by his devoted mother, brother, David, sisters, Minnie and Sheila, sister-in-law, Lillian, brothers-in-law, Edward and Leslie, niece, Josephine, nephews, Stuart, Stephen, Jeremy, and Robert, relatives, and friends. The years are swiftly passing, yet we do not forget; for deep within our hearts he is always near. Happy and smiling and always content, loved and respected wherever he went. May his dear soul rest in everlasting peace.—46, Grove Hall Court, London, N.W.8.

Rafer.—In unfading and everlasting memory of Joseph (Jerry) Rafer, who passed away March 8, 1941. Never forgotten by his dearest friends, Mildred and Michael Simmonds.

AARONS.—Dearest memories of Hyman, our beloved eldest son and brother, taken suddenly March 4, 1949. Our loss is great. Rest in peace.—152, Evelyn Court, E.8.

ADLER.—In cherished and revered memory of our dearly loved and devoted husband and father, Saul, who passed to his eternal rest on Adar 21, 5690 (March 21, 1930). Ever in our thoughts. Very sadly missed by his broken-hearted widow and son. May God rest his dear soul in everlasting peace.—"Lyndhurst," Holden Road, Kersal, Salford, 7.

ASHER.—Treasured memories of dear mother, Freda, who fell asleep II Adar 23 (March 31, 1951). Ever remembered by her devoted family.—"Sunnyside," Devonshire Street, Salford.

BENJAMIN.—In loving memory of our beloved mother, Ada, who died March 5, 1952. Always remembered by Gladys and Doris.

BEVERLEY.—In loving memory of our dear son and brother, Louis Beverley, who passed away I Adar 21, 5679.—Lydia Beverley and daughters.

In Memoriam—(*Continued*)

BLANK.—In treasured memory of our dear parents, Solomon Blank, who departed this life March 16, 1944 (Adar 21), and Rachel Blank, May 5, 1949 (Iyar 4). In deep gratitude for the happy years they gave us and the loveliest memories. May their dear souls rest in peace. Always remembered by their daughters, sons-in-law, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren.

BRONKS.—In devoted memory of our dearly beloved mother, Annie Rachel Bronks, who died on Adar 18, 5686 (March 4, 1926).—5, Kenwood Avenue, Sheffield, 7.

BRONZITE.—Unforgettable, treasured memories of our dearly beloved parents, Joseph and Tobala Bronzite, who passed away February 26, 1951 (Adar 20), and August 11, 1952 (Av 20), respectively. With tears in our eyes we think of them and long for them whatever we do, and wherever we go. Time will never dim those precious memories enshrined in the hearts of their heartbroken children and grandchildren. May their dear souls rest in everlasting peace.

BURNS (Bernstein).—Treasured memories of our beloved sister, Gertrude Burns (Bernstein), who passed away Adar 29 (March 1, 1946). Deeply mourned by her brothers, George and Sam, sister, Sarah, and nephew, Irvin.

CARR.—Treasured memories to-day and every day of a dear husband and father, David, who passed away March 5, 1948. Never to be forgotten by his wife, Ray, son, Horace, daughters, Thelma and Anne, son-in-law, Daniel (Danny), brother, Teddy, relatives, and friends.—89, Singleton Road, Salford, 7.

COHEN.—In loving memory of my dearly loved wife, Ailsey Cohen, who died on March 6, 1948. Deeply mourned by her sorrowing husband, Nat, 19, Fursecroft, George Street, W.1.

Cohen.—Our sweet mother, Ailsey Cohen. She left us five years ago. With her were goodness and mercy. May her beautiful soul come to its place in peace. Bitterly missed by her daughters, Jacqueline and Angela.

Cohen.—In loving memory of my darling daughter, Ailsey Cohen, who passed away on March 6, 1948. For ever in the thoughts of her broken-hearted mother, Marie Defries, 16, Harrow Lodge, N.W., sister, Maisie Steckel, brother-in-law, Sidney, 2300, Sedgwick Avenue, Bronx 68, New York, brother, Bertram, and sister-in-law, Sally, 70, Winchester Court, Kensington, W. Also sister-in-law and brother-in-law, Jenny and Ben Spindall, and niece, Helen, 30, Harrow Lodge, N.W.

CORNER.—In loving memory of William, who passed away in Johannesburg, March 8, 1952. Sadly missed by his mother, and his brothers and sister.

FAIMAN.—In treasured and unfading memory of Max Faiman [illegible] who entered life eternal on [illegible] 8 [illegible] 12 (March 7, 1948). Ever in the thoughts of his heartbroken and devoted wife, children, and grandchildren. Linked still by love no parting can destroy.—38, Manor House Drive, Brondesbury, N.W.6. [illegible]

GLASSBERG.—In ever loving memory of our dear mother, Rose Glassberg, who passed away on Adar 25, 5685 (corresponding with March 21, 1925). Deeply mourned and sadly missed by her sorrowing sons and daughters.

GORMAN.—In loving memory of our dear mother, Esther Gorman, who passed away March 2, 1952. Sadly missed by her son, Sam, daughter-in-law, Rene, and granddaughter, Avril.

GREEN.—In cherished memory of a dear husband and father, Abraham (Abe), who passed away March 8, 1950 (Adar 19, 5710). Sadly missed and for ever remembered by his devoted wife, Bertha, children, and grandsons.—"Shalom," 71, Mycenae Road, Blackheath, S.E.3.

GROSS.—In loving and cherished memory of our darling mother, Rachael Gross, passed away March 10, 1945. Always in the thoughts of her loving daughter, Rita, son-in-law, David Faust, and grandchildren, Michael and Jeffrey.—5, Masfield Road, Kersal, Salford, 7.

HARRIS.—In ever loving and unfading memory of our darling daddy, the late Councillor Abraham Harris, who departed this life on February 23, 1927 (Adar 21), and of his dearly beloved wife, Leah, our dear mother, who departed this life on November 7, 1939, and of their dearly beloved daughter, Celia, our dear sister, who was taken from us July 28, 1942. So sadly missed by all the family. Gone from our homes, but not from our hearts. Ever in our thoughts. God rest their dear souls.—Flat 9, Danescroft, Hendon, N.W.4.

HARRIS.—Treasured and cherished memories of our dear mother and grandmother, Sarah Harris, who left us February 17, 1940. God rest her dear soul in everlasting peace.—10, Redcliffe Road, Sherwood, Nottingham.

HART LEVERTON.—To the dear memory of Betty, who passed away March 7, 1952, beloved wife of Monty Hart Leverton and mother of Derek and Colin, darling daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Simmonds, and dearest sister of Hyman, Cissie, and Michael. God rest her sweet soul in everlasting peace. Linked by love no parting can destroy.

HERMAN.—In loving memory of our dear husband and father, Frederick Herman, who passed away March 11, 1952 (aged 34). Always remembered by his wife, Aster, and son, Richard.

ISAACS.—In loving memory of Mark Isaacs, who died March 6, 1950. Sadly missed by his wife and children.—16d, Argyll House, Westcliff-on-Sea.

JESKY.—March 4, 1951. In very dear memory of my beloved husband, Sonny.—Betty.

KRAVITZ (Claston).—In cherished memory of my dear brother, Harry, who fell asleep March 8, 1950, aged 30. Always remembered by his sister, brother-in-law, nieces, and nephew. Peace to his dear soul.—A. Vanderberg, 50, East Road, N.1.

LABOFSKI.—In loving memory of my dear mother, Nellie, who passed away March 18, 1938.—Joyce.

LABOVITCH (Labo).—In loving memory of our dear father, Lazarus, who passed away March 8, 1948. Sadly missed and always in the thoughts of his children. May his dear soul rest in peace.—78 and 11, The Vale, N.W.11.

LAZARUS.—In loving memory of our dear wife and mother, Myra, who passed away March 8, 1951. Sadly missed and ever in the thoughts of Laurie, Alan, June, and Harry.

LEVENE.—Cherished memories of our darling mother, Rachel Levene, who passed away March 11, 1952. For ever in the hearts of her loving family. So sadly missed.—68, Evering Road, N.16.

LEVINSTEIN.—Treasured memories of our dear wife and mother, Dora Levinstein, who passed away March 18, 1949 (Adar 17). Always remembered and sadly missed by all who knew her. May her dear soul rest in peace.—20, Bentcliffe Avenue, Leeds, 7.

MARKS.—Treasured memories always of our beloved Sylvia (née Gamse), who passed away on Adar 22, 5708 (March 9, 1948). Ever in our thoughts.

In Memoriam—(*Continued*)

MARGOLIS.—Treasured memories of our dearly beloved mam, Chia-Sora Margolis, who fell asleep March 16, 1952 (Adar 19). Always in our hearts and so sadly missed.—67, Princess Road, Manchester, 14.

MARKS
WELLER } —Cherished are the memories of our beloved father, Solomon Marks, and adored sister, Esther Weller, who both departed this life on March 27, 1951. Sadly missed by the family. They will live for ever in our hearts.—10, Percival Street, Manchester, 8.

PASHA.—Loving and treasured memories of our darling granddaughter and niece, Lorraine Heather, taken from us February 27, 1951. Our tragic loss. Sadly missed by Grandma Pasha, uncles, aunts, and cousins. May her dear soul rest in everlasting peace.—52, Cumberland Court, London, W.1.

PRESS.—In loving memory of Annie, who passed away Adar 23 (March 15, 1947). Years go, but sweet memories remain. So sadly missed by her husband, Abraham. May her sweet soul rest in peace.—Sheffield.

Press.—In treasured, ever loving memory of my darling mother, Annie Press (Sheffield), whom God called to rest Adar, 5707 (March 15, 1947). May her dear soul rest in eternal peace. Sadly missed and always in the thoughts of loving daughter, Betty, and son-in-law, Maurice.—55, Ingleby Road, Ilford, Essex.

PRICE.—In loving memory of our dearly beloved parents, Charles and Dora Price, who died Adar 25, 5698, and Adar 24, 5691. Always remembered by their loving sons, Myer and Bertie, and daughter, Ena.

RADIVEN.—In loving memory of our dear parents, Isaac and Ada Radiven, who passed away on March 18, 1952 (Adar 21, 5712), and April 1, 1952 (Nisan 6, 5712). Always in the thoughts of their children, David, Florrie Casket, Motty, son-in-law, daughters-in-law, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. May their dear souls rest in peace.—70, Singleton Road, Salford, 7.

ROSE.—In cherished memory of Phyllis Rose, who fell asleep on February 29, 1948 (Adar 19, 5708). Never forgotten by her sorrowing husband, Mark, daughter, Elisabeth, relatives, and friends.

Rose.—Treasured memories of our beloved Phyllis, who fell asleep February 29, 1948. So sadly missed. May her dear soul rest in peace.—Bridgend, Glam.

ROSE.—In loving memory of Abraham Harris Rose, devoted husband and father, who departed this life March 18, 1941. Every day in silence we remember.—77, Redington Road, Hampstead, N.W.3.

ROSENBERG.—Treasured memories of our beloved husband and father, Joseph Rosenberg, who passed away Adar 19, 5699. Always in our thoughts.—282, Gt. Cheetham Street West, Salford, 7.

ROSENBERG.—Not just to-day, but every day we remember our wonderful mother, Rose, and our beloved father, Judah, who left us for eternal rest on March 29, 1948 (II Adar 19, 5708), and April 3, 1932 (II Adar 26, 5692), respectively. So terribly missed by their loving children and grandchildren. God rest their dear souls in everlasting peace.

ROZANSKY.—Treasured memories of our devoted husband and father, Henry Rozansky, who passed away March 22, 1949. Deeply mourned by his wife, son, daughter, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, and grandchildren.

SAPONIA.—In loving memory of our beloved husband and father, Joseph Saponia, who passed away March 29, 1948 (II Adar 18, 5708). Always remembered and sadly missed, not just to-day, but every day, by his devoted wife, Baila, daughters, Ann and Edith, son, Leslie, sons-in-law, daughter-in-law, grandchildren, and great-grandson. God rest his dear soul.—11, Wentworth Street Buildings, E.1.

SCHLESS.—In ever loving memory of my beloved mother, Leah, who left us March 5, 1947.—Brinie, 1956, Marvin Avenue, L.A. 16, California.

SENIOR.—In memory of Bella Senior, who passed away March 10, 1947.—Albert Road West, Bolton.

SHOOLMAN.—In loving and revered memory of our dear father, the Rev. Hyman Shoolman [illegible] who passed away on March 29, 1951 [illegible] 5758. 82. Sadly missed by his children, Benedict, Harry, Max, Abraham, Jean, Jack, Lazarus (Larry), Isaac (Sid), Sam, Joe, Judith, and Israel (Eddie), sister, Sarah, son-in-law, daughters-in-law, and grandchildren. May his dear soul rest in everlasting peace.—16, Aylestone Avenue, Brondesbury Park, N.W.6.

TOBIAS.—In treasured and unfading memory of our beloved wife and mother, Jennie Tobias, who passed away February 27, 1951 (Adar 21). Always mourned by her husband, daughter, son, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, grandchildren, sisters, brothers, relatives, and friends. Ever remembered and sadly missed.

TOBIAS.—To-day and every day, treasured memories of Percy Tobias, a devoted husband, father, and brother, who left us February 25, 1951 (Adar 19, 5711). So dearly loved, so sadly missed. Peace to his dear soul.

WALDEN.—In loving memory of dad. Sadly missed by children, Jennie, Max, Bella, Leo, and grandchildren, Mildred and Linda.

WALKER.—In loving memory of our dear mother, who passed away on February 12, 1947. So sadly mourned by her devoted son, Mick, daughter-in-law, Ray, and grandchildren. May her dear soul rest in everlasting peace.

MEMORIAL STONES

SUNDAY, MARCH 8

BODNER.—The consecration of the memorial stone in memory of our beloved father, Saul Bodner [illegible] will take place at the Adath Yisroel Cemetery, Enfield, on Sunday, March 8, 1953, at 12.15 p.m. This is the only intimation.—163, Golders Green Road, N.W.11.

BROTMACHER.—The consecration of the tombstone dedicated to the beloved memory of our dear husband and father, Szaja Brotmacher, will take place at Marlow Road Cemetery, East Ham, on Sunday, March 8, at 2.30 p.m. This is the only intimation.—153, Chatsworth Road, N.W.2.

GOLDBERG.—The consecration of the memorial stone in loving memory of Israel Goldberg, late of 108, Anson Road, Cricklewood, N.W., and Hove, will take place at Edmonton Cemetery on March 8, at 11.30 a.m. prompt. Will relatives and friends kindly accept this as the only intimation.

KURZMAN.—The memorial stone in loving memory of Samuel Kurzman will be consecrated at Bushey Cemetery at 2.30 p.m. on Sunday, March 8. Conveyance will leave 2d, Hyde Park Mansions, Marylebone, N.W.1, at 1.30 p.m.

Memorial Stones—(*Continued*)

LANGSMAN.—The consecration of the tombstone dedicated to the memory of our beloved husband and father, Alec Langsman, will take place at Streatham Cemetery on Sunday, March 8, at 2 p.m. This is the only intimation.

LISBERG.—A memorial tablet in cherished memory of our beloved parents, Alfred and Ada Lisberg, will be consecrated at the Homes for Aged Jews, Cheetham, Manchester, 8, on Sunday, March 8, 1953, at 11 a.m. prompt. Afterwards a conveyance leaves for Rainsough Cemetery for the consecration of the memorial stone in memory of our beloved mother, Ada Lisberg. This is the only intimation.—20, Waterpark Road, Broughton Park, Salford, 7.

LUBICK.—The memorial stone in loving memory of the late Hyman Lubick will be consecrated at Rainsough Cemetery on Sunday, March 8, at 2 p.m., to be followed by the unveiling of a memorial window at the Prestwich Hebrew Congregation. Conveyance will leave "The Shrubbery," Bury New Road, Prestwich, at 1.45 p.m.

MINSKY.—The memorial stone in cherished memory of Harry Minsky will be consecrated on Sunday, March 8, at Edmonton Cemetery at 3 p.m. Coach will leave Westcliff Station (Station Road) at 1.30 p.m. Will all relatives and friends please accept this as being the only intimation.—23, Seaforth Road, Westcliff.

NATHAN.—The consecration of the memorial stone in loving memory of our dear husband and father, Harry Nathan, will take place at Blackley Cemetery on Sunday, March 8, 1953. Conveyance will leave South Broughton Synagogue, Sabrina Street, at 12 noon.—153, Bury New Road, Manchester, 8.

PINCUS.—The memorial stones to the late Mr. and Mrs. Pincus will be consecrated at Marlow Road Cemetery on Sunday, March 8. Conveyance will leave 14, Southwold Road, E.5, at 11 a.m.

POMPER.—The memorial stone in treasured and loving memory of Sarah (nee Bean), beloved wife of Harry Pomper and adored mother of Helen, will be consecrated at Streatham Cemetery on Sunday, March 8, 1953, at 4 p.m. Conveyance will leave 453, Mile End Road, E.3, at 2.30 p.m.

SAMPSON.—The memorial stone in cherished memory of Elizabeth Sampson, beloved and devoted mother of Jack and Muriel, will be consecrated at Willesden Cemetery on Sunday, March 8, at 12.30 p.m.

SUNDAY, MARCH 15

BLOOM.—The consecration of the memorial stone in loving memory of the late Fanny Bloom will take place on Sunday, March 15, at Marlow Road Cemetery at 3 p.m. Relatives and friends kindly accept this as the only intimation.—11, Stanley Gardens, N.W.2.

BLOOM.—The memorial stone sacred to the memory of our beloved husband and daddy, Louis (Lew) Bloom, will be consecrated at the Western Cemetery, Montagu Road, Edmonton, on Sunday, March 15, at 3.30 p.m. prompt. Will relatives and friends kindly accept this as the only intimation.—67, Windsor Road, E.7.

BLUSTON.—The memorial stone in loving memory of Joseph Bluston will be consecrated at Streatham Cemetery on March 15, at 12.30 p.m. Please accept this as the only intimation.—25, Wendover Court, N.W.2.

BOND.—The memorial stone in memory of our beloved mother, Bessie Bond, will be consecrated at Enfield Cemetery on Sunday, March 15, 1953. Conveyance will leave 41, Ridley Road, Dalston, at 3 p.m.

COHEN.—The consecration of the memorial stone to the late Sam Cohen, late of 59, Crescent Road, Crumpsall, Manchester, will take place on Sunday, March 15, at 11 a.m. at Blackley Cemetery. Conveyance leaves Holy Law Synagogue at 10.45 a.m.

COPE.—The consecration of the memorial stone in loving memory of Mrs. Rebecca Cope (late Bradford) will take place at Marlow Road Cemetery, East Ham, on Sunday, March 15, at 4.30 p.m. Conveyance will leave 75, Margetson House, Stamford Hill, N.16, at 3.30 p.m. Will all relatives and friends please accept this as the only intimation.

COUPLAN.—The consecration of the memorial stone in loving memory of the late Louis H. Couplan will take place at Hilltop Cemetery, Leeds, on Sunday, March 15, followed by the unveiling of a tablet at the Home for Aged Jews. Conveyance will leave New Synagogue at 3 p.m.

GOLDSTEIN.—The consecration of the memorial stone in loving memory of the late Deborah (Debbie) Goldstein, beloved wife of Mark and mother of Sheila, will take place at Streatham Cemetery on Sunday, March 15, at 3.30 p.m. Conveyance will leave 136, Holmleigh Road, Stamford Hill, N.16, at 2.15 p.m. Will relatives and friends please accept this as the only intimation.—Cacketts Farm, Horsmonden, Kent.

GOODMAN.—The memorial stone in loving memory of Flora Goodman will be consecrated at Edmonton Cemetery on Sunday, March 15, at 2.45 p.m. Conveyance will leave 7, Ridgmount Gardens, Chenies Street, W.C.1, at 2 p.m.

GREEN.—The memorial stone in loving memory of Abraham Green will be consecrated at Rainsough Cemetery, Manchester, on Sunday, March 15, 1953, at 12 noon.

HORN.—The tombstone in memory of the late Mrs. Jane Horn, beloved wife and mother, will be consecrated on Sunday, March 15, at 3 p.m. at Edmonton Cemetery. Conveyance leaves at 2 p.m. from 14, Trevelyan Gardens, N.W.10.

KUSHLER.—The memorial stone of our dear wife and mother, Hetty Kushler (Kay), will be consecrated at Bushey Cemetery on Sunday, March 15, at 3 p.m. Conveyances will leave from 79, The Avenue, Wembley Park, at 2.15 p.m. prompt.

LESSER.—The consecration of the tombstone in loving memory of the late Louis Lesser, beloved husband of Gaby and father of Jeffrey and Shirley, will take place at Willesden Cemetery at 12 noon on Sunday, March 15. This is the only intimation.

LEVY.—The memorial stone in loving memory of Harris Levy will be consecrated at Bear Road Cemetery, Brighton, on Sunday, March 15, at 3.30 p.m. This is the only intimation.—18, Mitre House, Brighton.

MILLER.—The memorial stone in loving memory of my darling husband, Max Miller, of 113, Duke Street, Southport (late of Manchester), will be consecrated at Blackley Cemetery on Sunday, March 15, at 3 p.m., after which a Kaddish Tablet will be unveiled at the Jewish Homes for the Aged. Conveyances leave 74, Park Road, Prestwich, at 2.45 p.m.

PRESS
PINNY PRESS } —The consecration of the memorial stones in loving memory of our dear mother, Rose Press, and brother, Joseph Pinny Press, will take place at Marlow Road Cemetery, East Ham, on Sunday, March 15, at 3 p.m. Conveyance will leave 562, Commercial Road, E.14, at 2.15 p.m. This is the only intimation.

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Memorial Stones—(*Continued*)

MOTZNER.—The memorial stone in loving memory of the late Sheehah and Ruda Motzner will be consecrated at Edmonton Cemetery on Sunday, March 15, 1953, at 2.30 p.m. Conveyance will leave 28, Harrowes Meade, Edgware, at 1.30 p.m.

ROSEN.—The consecration of the tombstone in loving memory of the late Solomon Rosen (late of 42, Moresby Road, Upper Clapton, E.5), will take place at the Edmonton Cemetery on Sunday, March 15, 1953, at 2.45 p.m. Will relatives and friends please accept this as the only intimation.—19, Allingham Court, Hampstead, N.W.3.

SEGAL.—The memorial stone in loving memory of the late Rachael Segal will be consecrated at Edmonton Cemetery on Sunday, March 15, at 3.45 p.m. Conveyance will leave 122, Holmleigh Road, N.16, at 3.15 p.m. This is the only intimation.

SHALOFSKY.—The tombstone in loving memory of the late Katie Shalofsky will be consecrated at Bushey Cemetery on Sunday, March 15, 1953, at 12 noon. Relatives and friends please accept this as the only intimation.—19, Hodford Road, Golders Green, N.W.11.

STOLLER.—The memorial stone in loving memory of our dear wife and mother, Esther Leah Stoller, will be consecrated at 3 p.m. on Sunday, March 15, 1953, at Piershill Cemetery, Edinburgh. A memorial window will also be consecrated in Synagogue, Salisbury Road, Edinburgh, at 2.30 p.m. on same day.—16, Arden Street, Edinburgh.

SUSS.—The memorial stone in cherished memory of our beloved husband and father, Harry Maurice Suss, will be consecrated at Rice Lane Cemetery on Sunday, March 15, at 1 p.m.—219, Booker Avenue, Liverpool, 18.

TEPPER.—The memorial stone in memory of my dear wife, Rachel Tepper, will be consecrated at Layton Cemetery, Blackpool, on Sunday, March 15, at 2.30 p.m. Conveyance will leave the Synagogue, Leamington Road, at 2.15 p.m.

TROPP.—The memorial stone in ever loving memory of Samuel Tropp, beloved husband of Leah, father of Zelda (Bard) and Sara (Unterman), will be consecrated at Edmonton Cemetery at 2.30 p.m. on Sunday, March 15, 1953. Conveyances will leave 73, Amhurst Park, N.16, at 2 p.m.

VINER.—The memorial stone in cherished remembrance of the late Philip Viner will be consecrated at Willesden Cemetery on Sunday, March 15, at 2.30 p.m.

ZALSBERG.—The memorial tombstone in treasured memory of the late Hyman Zalsberg, beloved and devoted husband and father, will be consecrated at Edmonton Cemetery on Sunday, March 15, at 2.30 p.m. Conveyance will leave 8, Fordham Street, at 1.45 p.m.

THANKS FOR CONDOLENCES

Mr. P. Abrahams and family wish to thank ministers, relatives, friends, and various organisations for the kindness shown to them in their recent bereavement.—41, Brigadier Hill, Enfield.

The family of the late Mrs. Sarah (Chippa) Barnett wish to express their gratitude to ministers, representatives of the synagogues, relatives, and numerous friends for their visits, letters, and expressions of sympathy in their sad bereavement, the loss of their dear mother.—204, Upper Clapton Road, E.5.

The family of the late Mr. Abraham Charkham tender sincere thanks to the ministers and chazanim of the Bayswater, Brighton, Dollis Hill, Highgate, Muswell Hill, Neasden, New West End, and Willesden Synagogues, all relatives and friends for their kind visits, expressions of sympathy, letters, cables, and telegrams received in their sad bereavement. As the letters, etc., received were so numerous, will the writers please accept this expression of thanks.—37, Heathfield Park, N.W.6.

Mr. Harry Cohen and family wish to thank ministers, relatives, friends, and organisations for their visits and letters of sympathy received in their recent sad bereavement.—18, Greenstead Avenue, Manchester, 8.

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The family of the late Abraham Joel (Sonny) Goldstone wish to thank ministers, relatives, friends, and the various organisations for their kind visits and letters of sympathy received in their recent sad bereavement.

Mrs. Kitty Herman, daughter, Mina, and son-in-law, Charles Mendoza, of Brighton, express thanks to mother (Mrs. Ethel Silver, Riverside Drive), brothers, sisters-in-law, nephews, niece, relatives, and friends for their visits, telegrams, and letters of sympathy in the loss of a devoted husband and father. Thanks also extended to clergy and officers of the North-West London Synagogue, Woodstock Road, and of Kinloss Gardens Synagogue, Finchley.—40, Windsor Court, Golders Green.

Danny Lever and sons, together with the Margolis family and the Lever family, wish to thank the Rev. I. Livingstone, the Rev. M. Taschlicky, and Rabbi Dr. S. M. Lehrman, for their kind spiritual guidance, and relatives and friends for their many consoling messages of sympathy and condolence, occasioned by their recent tragic bereavement. As it would be impossible for them to thank personally all those who shared with them in their sorrow they would ask that this notice be accepted as their heartfelt acknowledgment to all.

Mrs. Sarah Mayernwitsch thanks ministers, relatives, and friends for their letters and kind expressions of sympathy received in the sad loss of her dear brother.

The family of the late Annie Mendel desire to thank the ministers, Executive, and Council of the Higher Crumpsall Synagogue, relatives, and friends for kind visits in their sad bereavement. The many tokens of regard and expressions of affection received are very deeply appreciated.

Mrs. Hetty Portman, with her brothers and family would like to express her sincere thanks to the Rev. N. Berkerman, the Board of Management, and Ladies' Guild of the North London Synagogue, relatives, and friends who showed such deep respect on the loss of her dear mother.—39, Loraine Mansions, Holloway.

The family of the late Louis Rosenberg wish to thank ministers, representatives of synagogues and institutions, relatives, and friends for their visits and kind letters of sympathy received in their sad bereavement.

Mrs. Ada Rowan and family thank ministers, relatives, and friends for their visits and kind expressions of sympathy in their sad bereavement.

The family of the late Asher Ruck wish to thank relatives and friends for their visits, letters, and kind expressions of sympathy received in their recent bereavement.—167, Edgwarebury Lane, Edgware.

The family of the late Davis Solomons wish to thank the ministers, relatives, and friends for their visits and kind letters of sympathy received in their recent bereavement.—17, Cranbrook House, Clapton, E.5.

Mr. Davis Sternberg and Mr. Lew Sternberg wish to thank relatives and friends for visits and condolences in their very sad bereavement.—11, Stothard House, Cephas Street, E.1, and 95, Broad Lane, Tottenham, N.15.

Mrs. B. Weisfogel and the family of the late Mr. B. Weisfogel, 2nd, sincerely thank dayanim, rabbanim, ministers, and friends for the kind expressions of sympathy extended to them in their bereavement.—94, Lordship Park, N.16.

BIRTHDAYS, FELICITATIONS, ETC.

Congratulations and loving wishes to our dear dad and mum, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Malina, 49, Pembury Close, Clapton, on their Pearl Wedding.—Arnold and Sylvia, Rita and Cyril, and David in Israel.

PERSONAL

The staff of Elton & Co. convey their condolence to the family of the late Mr. M. Elton.

Miss Edna Fleishman and Mr. Philip Cohen wish to thank their dear parents, relatives, and friends for the beautiful flowers, gifts, telegrams, and all good wishes on the occasion of their engagement.

A reception to celebrate the recent engagement of George Friend to Beil Michaelson will be held at 27, Langdale Road, Liverpool, 15, on Sunday, March 15, from 4 to 6 p.m. No individual invitations are being issued.

Miss Sheila Kaufman and Dr. Alfred Yarrow wish to thank their dear parents, grandparents, relatives, and friends for the good wishes, telegrams, flowers, and gifts received on the occasion of their engagement.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Salmon sincerely thank the clergy, Executive and Council of the Garnethill Synagogue, Lodge Montefiore No. 759, Jewish Board of Guardians (Welfare Committee), Hebrew Boot and Clothing Guild, relatives, and friends for good wishes and handsome gifts received on the occasion of their Silver Wedding.—6, Napiershall Street, Glasgow, N.W.

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THE Annual Prize Distribution will take place on Sunday, March 8, at 3 p.m. at The Hollies, Nursery Rd., Southgate, N.14. Dr. Isidore Fishman, M.A., Ph.D., Director of the London Board of Jewish Religious Education, will preside, and Mrs. Fishman will distribute the prizes. Honorary Officers and members of the Board extend a hearty welcome to all parents.

Communal Notices—(*Continued*)

GOLDERS GREEN SYNAGOGUE HEBREW AND RELIGION CLASSES
Dunstan Road, Finchley Road, N.W.11

THE Annual Prize Distribution will take place on Sunday, March 8, 1953, at 3 p.m. Guest of honour: Rabbi Dr. I. Epstein, D.Lit. (Principal of Jews' College). Mrs. I. Epstein will distribute the prizes. Mr. J. Greenbaum, Chairman of the Classes Committee, will preside. All members and parents are welcome.

HACKNEY SYNAGOGUE HEBREW AND RELIGION CLASSES
Brenthouse Road, E.9

THE Annual Prize Distribution will take place on Sunday, March 8, 1953, at 3.30 p.m. Dr. J. S. Alman will preside and Mrs. Alman will distribute the prizes. All members and parents are welcome.

HACKNEY SYNAGOGUE
Brenthouse Road, Mare Street, E.9

A MEMORIAL service in memory of the late Rev. C. Kowalski, minister/reader of the Hackney Synagogue, will take place on Thursday, March 12, at 7.30 p.m.

HAMMERSMITH & WEST KENSINGTON SYNAGOGUE RELIGION CLASSES
Brook Green, W.6

THE Annual Prize Distribution will take place on Sunday, March 8, 1953, at 3 p.m. in the Communal Hall. Rabbi S. Sperber, M.A., will give an address. Mrs. Sperber will distribute the prizes. Chairman: Dr. L. Freeman. All congregants and friends welcome.

HAMPSTEAD GARDEN SUBURB SYNAGOGUE
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THE Annual Prize Distribution of the Hebrew and Religion Classes will take place on Sunday, March 8, 1953, at 2.45 p.m., in the Synagogue Hall. Dr. George Webber, LL.D., will be the guest of honour and the prizes will be distributed by Mrs. G. Webber. In the Chair: Mr. A. Winegarten.

HENDON SYNAGOGUE
Raleigh Close, Hendon, N.W.4

SPECIAL Jubilee Service, Saturday, March 7. The sermon will be delivered by the Very Rev. The Chief Rabbi, Rabbi Israel Brodie. Members are asked to be in their seats by 9.30 a.m.

NEW SYNAGOGUE
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THE Annual Prize Distribution of the Hebrew and Religion Classes will take place on Sunday, March 8, 1953, at 3.30 p.m. in the Marcus Samuel Hall. Rabbi Dr. S. M. Lehrman, M.A., Ph.D., will be the Guest of Honour, and Mrs. Lehrman will distribute the prizes. Mr. M. A. Amias, Chairman of the Classes Committee, will preside. All members and parents are welcome.

NEW SYNAGOGUE
Egerton Road, N.16

WILL members and local residents please note that on and after Monday, March 9, 1953, morning services from Mondays to Fridays will commence at 7.30. Sundays 8.30 a.m.

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THE Annual Prize Distribution to the pupils of the Hebrew Classes will take place on Sunday, March 8, 1953, at 3 p.m. The Chairman of the Education Committee, Mr. D. Portnoi, will preside. Mr. Henry Abrahams will be the guest of honour, and Mrs. H. Abrahams will distribute the prizes. Parents and members are cordially invited.

In the evening, at 7.30, the Hon. Officers and Board of Management of the synagogue have arranged a Purim social gathering to which a most cordial invitation is extended to all members and their ladies.

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THE Annual Prize Distribution will be held at the Synagogue on Sunday, March 8, at 3 p.m. Mr. M. Sagon will address the gathering, and Mrs. Sagon will distribute the prizes.

WILLESDEN SYNAGOGUE
Heathfield Park

THE first general meeting of the newly formed Parents' Association will take place on Monday, March 9, at 8.15 p.m. prompt, at the Synagogue Hall, Heathfield Park. Rabbi M. Spira, B.A., will preside, and the meeting will be addressed by Mr. H. Myers. For the benefit of your children, please do your utmost to attend.

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February, 5713/1953.

Communal Notices—(*Continued*)

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AS the result of an examination held at Jews' College in February, 1953, the Minister's Diploma of the College was awarded to Mr. Abraham Chaitowitz, B.A.

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VISCOUNT SAMUEL AMBULANCE

Presentation to Israeli Ambassador

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

An ambulance bearing the name of Viscount Samuel and dedicated by the Chief Rabbi was presented to the Israeli Ambassador, Mr. E. Elath, for service in the Jewish State, by Mr. Peter Morrison, on behalf of the British Friends of the Magen David Adom, on Sunday (Purim). The presentation of the ambulance, which marked the 80th birthday and Parliamentary jubilee of Lord Samuel, was the 40th to be given by the Friends in Britain and the ninth to be subscribed for through the efforts of Mr. Morrison.

Left to right: Mr. Peter Morrison, Lady Samuel, Viscount Samuel, the Israeli Ambassador, Mme Elath, the Chief Rabbi, Mrs. Morrison, and Mrs. Brodie

The ceremony, which took place at the Israeli Embassy (18, Manchester Square, W.), was attended by Viscount Samuel and Lady Samuel, the Rev. Dr. A. Cohen (President of the Board of Deputies), Mr. B. Janner, M.P. (President of the Zionist Federation), and a large gathering, which included also members of the Friends of the Magen David Adom from outside London.

The Chief Rabbi emphasised the aptness of the occasion by drawing a parallel between Lord Samuel—"our distinguished and noble brother"—and "Mordecai the Jew," both of whom sought the good of their people in their respective generations.

The achievements and greatness of Lord Samuel, the Chief Rabbi declared, were written in the statute books of the realm, and his words of wisdom and clarity brought succour to those who were in doubt or in need.

After the dedication ceremony, held outside the Embassy, Mr. Ronald Bernstein, on behalf of the Friends and their Chairman, Dr. P. Strickland, welcomed the guests at a reception held at the Embassy. Mr. Morrison paid a tribute to Lord Samuel, whose distinguished career, he said, had symbolised to Jews who had fled from persecution the freedom and opportunity which this country so magnificently provided.

Mr. Morrison pledged himself to provide another three ambulances to increase to 12 the number of ambulances purchased through his efforts.

Lord Samuel said that he considered it one of the great compliments he had received in his life that an ambulance bearing his name should be included in the transport fleet of Israel's health services. The presentation was a result of a combination of several causes: Jewry's desire to assist Israel, and particularly its sick and aged, the ability to discriminate wisely in making gifts, and the quality of men who could harness these causes for a good purpose.

Lord Samuel thanked the Chief Rabbi for his kind words and the Ambassador for allowing the Embassy to be used for the presentation ceremony.

Mr. Elath, who accepted the ambulance on behalf of the people of Israel, said that the ambulance would be the more appreciated because it carried the name of a man who had laid, as the first High Commissioner, the foundations of the State of Israel and who had served as a great humanitarian in many good causes.

Referring to the report which Lord Samuel had written on the first five years of the Mandatory Administration in Palestine—"equalled only by the historic report of Lord Peel"—the Ambassador said that he had been most impressed by Lord Samuel's vision of the part which the pioneering elements would come to play in laying the material and particularly the moral foundations of the Jewish National Home.

A.J.A. TO ATTEND ZURICH CONFERENCE

To Exert "Moderating Influence"

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

The Anglo-Jewish Association has decided to participate in the forthcoming International Jewish Conference in Zurich in order "to preserve Jewish solidarity" and "to exert a restraining and moderating influence." In accepting the invitation to attend what it regards as a "premature" and "arbitrarily selected" conference, the Association was guided by the advice of the Chief Rabbi and the Haham, both of whom are Vice-Presidents of the A.J.A.

The Association will be represented at the conference by Mr. Rowland Landman, Chairman of the Foreign Affairs Committee, and Mr. Gershon Ellenbogen, the Hon. Secretary of the Committee.

The decision was taken at the Council meeting of the A.J.A., held under the chairmanship of the President, the Hon. Ewen E. S. Montagu, C.B.E., Q.C., at Woburn House, London, on Tuesday.

Conveners' Invitation

Mr. Rowland Landman read the text of the telegram, which the conveners of the conference—Dr. Nahum Goldmann and Mr. Berl Locker, Co-Chairmen Jewish Agency Executive—had sent to 38 major Jewish organisations and communities throughout the world. The telegram stated, *inter alia*, that the aim of the conference was "to consider the plight of Eastern European Jewry and to set forth the reaction of authorised Jewish representatives to the campaign in Soviet Russia and Eastern Europe against Israel, the Zionist Movement, the Joint Distribution Committee, and the Jewish people generally. It is imperative that the Jewish people give unified expression to its alarm over mounting perils for Eastern European Jewry and Israel, and demand the right for Eastern European Jews to emigrate, stressing the readiness of Israel to receive them. . . . It is not intended to set up a permanent body."

The invitation had been considered by the members of the General Purposes and Foreign Affairs Committees and the Hon. Officers of the A.J.A., Mr. Landman said, and they had felt from the start that "the conveners were singularly ill-advised to call such a conference at this juncture" before the views of the interested organisations had been ascertained and the desirability of holding such an assembly discussed in private.

"In any event," Mr. Landman declared, "the conference appears to be premature, first because the extent or degree of the change in the attitude of the Soviet Government towards the Jews as such has not yet been and cannot yet be accurately assessed; and, secondly, because even assuming that the Russian Government had adopted an antisemitic bias, it is difficult to see what good could come out of a conference directed to drawing the attention of the world to the Russians' alleged antisemitism and thus putting the Soviet Government, as it were, in the dock before the peoples of the world. Such a course might be regarded by some as emotionally satisfactory, but it should never be forgotten that there are about 2,500,000 Jews behind the Iron Curtain, and the test for determining the desirability of such a conference must surely be how it will affect our coreligionists there."

The Russians, he added, had so far been careful, at least in their propaganda, to make a clear distinction between anti-Zionism and antisemitism, which, he submitted, were not necessarily the same thing. If it were the aim of the leaders of the conference—as it would appear from the text of the invitation—to identify antisemitism with anti-Zionism, a course to which the Russians had not yet been committed, the holding of such a conference could only encourage the Russians to make such an identification.

Referring to the relations between Israel and the Soviet *bloc*, Mr. Landman declared that while they must deplore anti-Zionist tendencies and should endeavour to assist Israel in every way they could, consistent with their loyalties and obligations, they must equally, as an Anglo-Jewish body situated in the Diaspora, take the line that "Israel can and should look after itself in its international political relations, and that it is not appropriate for Jewish organisations in the Diaspora to sit in public and deliberate on Israel's diplomatic relations with other States."

Anglo-Jewry Not Consulted

He pointed out that despite the fact that the Jewish community in this country was, apart from the communities of America, Israel, and those behind the Iron Curtain, the most important of the Jewish communities in the world, there had been no prior consultation with the representative Jewish organisations here before the decision to convene the conference had been taken, notwithstanding the fact that Dr. Goldmann was constantly going to and from the United Kingdom. Although, under the ægis of the Chief Rabbi, a meeting had been held between the Board of Deputies and the A.J.A., at which it was agreed that certain steps should be taken with regard to the situation of the Jews behind the Iron Curtain, and that there should be prior consultation between the two bodies before any further action was taken, the Board immediately accepted the invitation to attend the conference without requesting an agenda, without regard to the implications, and without consultation with the A.J.A.

Mr. Landman criticised what he called the "arbitrary selection" made by Dr. Goldmann, who had invited to the conference such bodies as the Costa Rican Representative Jewish Council and the American Garment Workers' Union, but had omitted some responsible organisations such as the World Union of Progressive Judaism, a non-governmental body with consultative status at the United Nations. No satisfactory assurances, he added, had been given with regard to the composition of the Steering Committee, which was to meet on the eve of the conference to plan the agenda and to direct the proceedings. A request by the A.J.A. "to encourage prior consultation regarding the composition of the Steering Committee" had not been accepted by the Board of Deputies, he said.

"The Hon. Officers, after measured consideration," stated Mr. Landman, "feel that while they regard the calling of the conference as premature and subject to the various dangers indicated, there is no alternative but to send a delegation in view of the attitude taken by the other bodies. They deplore the lack of communal responsibility shown by the Board in embarking on a unilateral policy without consultation as was agreed."

Right to Dissent

Mr. Landman then moved the recommendations of the Hon. Officers, that the invitation to attend the conference be accepted "subject to the right of the A.J.A. delegates to dissent or abstain from voting on any resolution that may be proposed and that such dissent or abstention should be recorded"; and furthermore, that the A.J.A. delegates should press for the Steering Committee to be composed of representatives of the Jewish Agency and the five Jewish non-governmental bodies (including the World Union of Progressive Judaism).

Supporting the statement, the President declared that there was a widespread feeling that it would, perhaps, have been better if the conference had not been convened. There was the danger that the Kremlin might excuse its actions by referring to the existence of an international Jewish *bourgeois* front against the Soviet *bloc*. This would not only be terribly dangerous to 2,500,000 Jews behind the Iron Curtain, but would reduce still further the chances of Jewish emigration from Eastern Europe.

There were, however, Mr. Montagu said, two main reasons which induced the Hon. Officers to accept the invitation. One reason—which had been stressed by the Chief Rabbi and the Haham—was the need to preserve Jewish solidarity on an occasion of that kind. The other and primary consideration was that the representatives of the A.J.A.—and he hoped that the delegates of the Board of Deputies would act similarly—could exert at the conference a moderating and restraining influence.

Mr. Leonard Stein (a former President of the A.J.A.) said that he did not believe that the A.J.A. representatives, even if supported by the Board of Deputies, could exert effectively a restraining and moderating influence at the conference. The A.J.A. should rather take the risk of being misrepresented and attacked for having stayed away?

Supporting Mr. Stein's attitude, Mr. H. A. Goodman, J.P., described the

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SERMON FOR THE WEEK

APPREHENDING THE DIVINE

"And the Lord spoke unto Moses face to face as a man speaketh unto his friend" (Exodus xxxiii, 11).

THE verse describing in this week's Sidra the profound and singular religious experiences of Moses has its parallel passage in the concluding lines of the Torah (Deut. xxxiv, 10), when the life of the great leader is summed up in the words: "And there hath not arisen a prophet since in Israël like unto Moses, whom the Lord knew face to face."

The expression *panim el panim*, "face to face," as descriptive of man's intense awareness of God in moments of supreme religious experience, is, however, not confined to Moses alone. When the Lawgiver recalls to the people the divine revelation on Mount Sinai he reminds them that the Lord spoke to them "face to face, in the mount, out of the midst of the fire" (Deut. v, 4).

Twice more we find the expression *panim el panim* in the Bible, in each case descriptive of a divine apparition so overpowering as to change the whole course of life of him to whom it was vouchsafed. Jacob (Gen. xxxii, 31) and Gideon (Judges vi, 22) both describe their experiences as having "seen (an angel of) God *panim el panim*."

THE possibility of man experiencing God "face to face" would seem to conflict, however, with the view expressed in a further passage in our Sidra, that it was given to no mortal to "see God and live." When Moses prays to God that He may "show him His glory" and God answers: "Thou canst not see My face, for man shall not see My face and live," the curtain that hides the divine mystery from the sight of man appears to be one that can never be raised.

Humbly we must resign ourselves to this seeming contradiction, conscious of the limitation of ordinary human understanding to grasp the full meaning of words such as these, which endeavour to convey sublime truths concerning the nature of the divine in the simple language of man.

What may be safely assumed, however, to be indicated in these expressions is the existence of two ways by which man may come to a knowledge of God: the way of the thinker and the way of the mystic; the former intellectual, the latter intuitive. These two modes of apprehending the divine are already indicated in language itself. Thus in English we have two distinct meanings of the word "to know." We can "know a thing," and we can "know *about* a thing." When we read a full biography of a person we get to know all *about* him. But we know *him* only when we meet him personally.

KNOWING all there is to know *about* a person is a different kind of knowledge from knowing *him*. The one is intellectual and descriptive, the other emotional and intuitive. The difference is qualitative, not quantitative. No amount of knowledge *about* a person can produce a "knowing him," which is gained only by our meeting the person "face to face."

Both the philosopher and the mystic "know" God. But what the former knows is all about God, a knowledge gained from study and reflection. The simple saint, in his mystic awareness of God in moments of self-abandon and self-effacement, knows God "as one knows a friend." It is to such a knowledge of God that Israel rose at Mount Sinai. That it was vouchsafed to a whole people is unique in history. It was never to recur—until the days of the Messiah. But it is given to every Jew, in every generation, to experience, in moments of genuine piety and saintliness, a reflection of that divine illumination which, in a moment of grace, enabled his ancestors to see God "face to face."

HEBREW-SPEAKING CIRCLE

The Hebrew-Speaking Circle of the Brit Ivrit Olamit held a living newspaper and a Purim concert at the home of Dr. and Mrs. David Preiskel on Sunday. The gathering also bade farewell to Dr. Benjamin Vardy, a member of the committee, and Mrs. Vardy, who are settling in Israel.

A tribute to the work of Dr. Vardy was paid by Dr. Samuel Sacks, Chairman of the British Branch of the Brit Ivrit Olamit. It was decided to inscribe Dr. Vardy's name in the Golden Book of the J.N.F. Dr. David Preiskel presided.

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The Appeal this year comes to us at a time of singular anxiety to the Jewish people and to Israel, against whom an intense campaign rages behind the Iron Curtain. Its latest expression is the breaking off by Russia of diplomatic relations with the Government of Israel. At the same time peace with the Arab States is no nearer.

Nobody can predict how far the malice of the enemies of Israel and of Jewry may reach. But this we know—that Israel looks to the whole Jewish people for moral support and practical aid. A strong Israeli State, a Jewish society firmly rooted in productive enterprise, and social justice—these are the solid and enduring answers to the challenge.

Meanwhile the task of absorbing and settling the vast host of immigrants faces Israel with serious ecohomic and financial problems.

Whilst German Reparations may begin to make a contribution to the economic growth of Israel, the work of settlement and development is the responsibility of the Jewish people throughout the world. The call to the Jews of these islands is for £2,000,000. As in the past so in these still more exacting times the response will be prompt and generous. We shall not fail Israel.

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Incidentally . . .

THE ELSIE SILVER SAGA

The last instalment of Mr. Louis Golding's saga of contemporary Jewish history in Europe, "To the Quayside," is finished, and will be published in the autumn, he tells me. It is the last of five volumes which began 20 years ago with "Five Silver Daughters," and then continued with "Mr. Emmanuel," "The Glory of Elsie Silver," and "The Dangerous Places." The final episode of his latest work deals with the famous Exodus incident, which fits in with his immediate plans, as he is leaving for Israel next week by El Al. Mr. Golding has arranged to meet some of the refugee passengers sent back from Haifa to Hamburg in the Exodus. His last assignment will be to go to Manchester, where they are celebrating the centenary of the incorporation of Manchester as a city. The DAILY DISPATCH have asked Mr. Golding to tell in a series of articles the story of the city as he knew it and as he finds it to-day. After spending several weeks in Israel, Mr. Golding will set out on a journey in the steps of Odysseus, following after his famous journey "In the Steps of Moses."

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BROADCASTER FOR 21 YEARS

Although only 36 years of age, Mr. Vivian Joseph, 'cellist, has been broadcasting regularly for 21 years. During this time he has broadcast solos, concertos, sonatas, and chamber music on nearly 1,000 occasions. He will be playing on the Home Service on Sunday at 10.15 p.m. works by Schumann and Shostakovitch. Mr. Joseph started playing the 'cello at the age of seven, and made his first public appearance two years later. On two occasions he won awards at the Welsh National Eisteddfod, and three first prizes for 'cello playing at this paper's music festival in 1929. This talented musician, who was regarded as a prodigy, was a pupil of Pablo Casals, the world-famous 'cellist, at Prades, in the South of France. Mr. Joseph, who received a commission in the London Irish Rifles and was severely wounded during the North African campaign, is a member of the London String Trio, Harry Isaacs Trio, and the English Piano Quartet. He is to play at the concert in support of the Chaim Weizmann Memorial Scholarship at Leighton House, W.14, on Tuesday.

Mr. V. Joseph

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B.B.C. HEBREW SECTION HEAD

Mr. L. H. Gottlieb, of the B.B.C., now on a visit to Israel, has the distinction of being the only organiser of a Hebrew programme in Europe. Polish born, he studied law, Oriental languages, and diplomacy at the Lwow University and also at the University of Berlin. A scholarship awarded by the Polish Government for the study of international trade relations brought him to England before the outbreak of the last war. After serving with the Polish Forces in France and the United Kingdom, he joined the Department of International Organisation of the Polish Government in Exile in London, and in 1942 the B.B.C.'s Polish Service. During the two years that he has been supervising the Hebrew broadcasts they have become not merely the means of reaching listeners in Israel, but, what is no less important, Jewish listeners in all parts of the world, especially those behind the Iron Curtain. Through the B.B.C. Hebrew has penetrated the Iron Curtain with such effect that the Russians felt compelled to try to jam these Hebrew broadcasts.

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PENNY-IN-THE-SLOT RELIGION

One of the unavoidable penalties of announcing one's family affairs—births, marriages, deaths, etc.—in newspapers is that one receives many unsolicited letters and circulars from people offering all sorts of services in connection with them. I thought that America was the home of the most bizarre of such services, but I have now seen a London concern's "offering" which seems to me to cap the lot. This concern offers the insertion of a deceased person's name in a "book of remembrance" and then, for a "Kaddish Service Fee" of six guineas, promises to arrange for a proxy to say Kaddish thrice daily during the eleven-month period of mourning, for those unable themselves to carry out this "Final Sad Duty." It works out at 1½d. a Kaddish. A friend who received one of these circulars suggests there are great possibilities of extension to the idea, "Al-Chet Beaters Incorporated," for instance: "You say 'Al-Chet'—we beat our breast—six beats a shilling." Or "Kaporess Shloggers Ltd."; "for 10s. 6d. we 'shlog kaporess' with one member of the family; for £1 with two; for £5 the whole family." What an infinite vista of penny-in-the-slot religion opens out!

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FIRST SITTING

I hear that Melnikoff, the sculptor who did the bronze head of the late Dr. Eliash which was presented by public subscription, through this paper, to the Israeli Embassy in London, is to do a sculpture of Dr. Eliash's successor, the present Israeli Ambassador. In fact, Mr. Elath is to give his first sitting to Melnikoff to-day.

CHRONICLER

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The J.C. 100 Years Ago

The following is an extract from THE JEWISH CHRONICLE *of Adar* 24, 5613—*March* 4, 1853:

We are rejoiced to be enabled to record a move in the right direction of instructing a native ministry. At a meeting of the managers of the Spanish and Portuguese Orphan School they came to the resolution that Abraham Natto, one of the orphan boys, a great-grandson of the late Rabbi Isaac Natto, maintained and educated in the home, now aged 14 years, shall, from his general good conduct and progress in his education, be instructed for the ministry. For this purpose, it has been resolved that the lad be educated in the City of London School for a period of three years during the day, and in the evenings.

NEW MINISTER AT CATFORD

By a JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporter*

The Rev. I. Gross has been appointed minister of the Catford Synagogue (53, Catford Hill, London, S.E.6). He succeeds the Rev. J. H. Rockman, who (as already reported in our columns) has been appointed minister of the Harrogate Congregation.

Mr. Gross, who was born in Czechoslovakia, studied at yeshivot in Presburg, Munkac, and Piestan, and was awarded, at the age of 19, a rabbinical scholarship. After settling in England in 1934 he studied at the Yeshiva Etz Chaim. In 1937 he was appointed minister of the Klausner Memorial Synagogue, London.

The Rev. I. Gross

After the war Mr. Gross became minister of the Brondesbury Chevra Torah, and in 1950 he became minister of Dunstable and Bedford Hebrew Congregation.

At a farewell reception at the Catford Synagogue on Sunday, a cheque, on behalf of the congregation, was presented to Mr. and Mrs. Rockman by the Chairman of the synagogue, Mr. J. Harris. A presentation was also made to the minister by the South-East London Maccabi, and to Mrs. Rockman by Mrs. Bluma Bornstein, on behalf of the Ladies' Guild.

ARRIVAL OF ISRAELI ATTORNEY-GENERAL

Talks with Palestine Electric Corporation

Mr. Haim Cohen, the Israeli Attorney-General, arrived in Britain on Wednesday to negotiate with the Palestine Electric Corporation on their concession in Israel. The Israeli Government is pressing the Corporation to raise additional capital in order to install equipment necessary to meet the State's growing electricity needs.

HEBREW UNIVERSITY FRIENDS

New Premises Opened

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

The Israeli Ambassador, Mr. Eliahu Elath, attended the opening ceremony of the new premises of the British Friends of the Hebrew University, at 237, Baker Street, W., on Thursday of last week.

After over four years' accommodation in two rooms at 97, Baker Street, the Friends now occupy seven rooms, two of which are interconnected and could be utilised as a hall for council and small-size meetings.

Sir Keith Joseph and Miss Clariça Davidson

[Before removing to 97, Baker Street the Friends' premises were at 18, Manchester Square, W., now occupied by the Israeli Embassy.]

Professor Norman Bentwich, O.B.E., National Chairman of the British Friends, stated that according to Professor Einstein space was that in which things were ordered, and time was that in which events were ordered. He expressed the hope that in the time to come and with the new spacious premises at their disposal the Friends would be able to increase their activities on behalf of the University.

Professor Bentwich announced that at the suggestion of Sir Keith Joseph, the new Chairman of the Executive [Dr. Alec Lerner, the former Chairman had taken over Sir Keith's office as Joint Treasurer with Mr. Edmund de Rothschild], the next annual meeting of the Friends would be held as a full-day national conference in July in order to stimulate further activities.

Sir Keith said that the forthcoming conference would seek to strengthen co-operation between the Executive in London and the Friends throughout the country.

Dr. W. Zander, the Secretary, thanked the Executive on behalf of the staff for having provided such suitable and pleasant accommodation.

[The telephone number of the Friends is still Welbeck 0293/4.]

HELPING THE UNSETTLED CHILD

By a JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporter*

About 300 welfare workers attended the "Hannah Hyam Memorial Lecture" at the Bernhard Baron St. George's Jewish Settlement, E.1, on Tuesday. It was given by Dr. D. H. Stott, on "Unsettled Children."

Lady Norman J.P., who presided, described the late Hannah Hyam as an amazing voluntary social worker in that district.

Mr. Basil Q. Henriques, C.B.E., J.P. also spoke.

SHNAT SHERUT RECEPTION

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Social & Personal

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Sir Ben LOCKSPEISER, K.C.B., will be 63 on Monday.

Mr. Haim COHEN, Israeli Attorney General, arrived in London on Wednesday.

Mrs. Cyril ROSS attended the dinner held at the Mansion House on Monday to launch an appeal for the National Fund for Poliomyelitis Research, and, with Lady Maxwell FYFE and Admiral Sir Charles and Lady DANIEL, received the guests. Mr. Cyril Ross, O.B.E., who is Treasurer of the Fund, was prevented by indisposition from attending.

A daughter, Ruth Susan (their second child), was born on Friday, February 27, 1953, at Queen Mary's Maternity Hospital, Hampstead, to Evelyn (née Fineman), wife of Dennis ALINEK, of 13, Chestnut Avenue, Edgware, Middlesex.

Twin sons were born on Sunday, March 1, 1953, at St. Mary's Hospital (Lindo Wing), to Phyllis (née Fischelis), wife of Gerald BERKO, of 24, Craven Park Road, N.W.10.

A daughter, Lesley (their third), was born on Monday, February 23, 1953, to Mavis (née Simons), wife of Maurice CHAPLIN, of 34, Shrub End Road, Colchester, Essex.

A daughter (Janice Stephanie) was born on Sunday, March 1, 1953, at East Ham Memorial Hospital (Private Wing), E.7, to Shirley (née Silverman) and Ronald COLLETT,—151, Headley Drive, Gants Hill, Ilford.

A daughter (Madeleine Elizabeth) was born on Monday, February 23, 1953, at the London Clinic, to Jill, wife of Leslie EPSTEIN, of "Aviemore," Roedean Crescent, Rochampton.

A son, Michael Harry (their second child), was born on March 2, 1953, at Suffolk House Nursing Home, Marsh Lane, Stanmore, to Hilda (née Sonenfeld), wife of Henry FINKEL, of 5, Mill Ridge, Edgware.

A son (Simon David), was born on Monday, March 2, 1953, at "Whitehaven," 61, The Drive, Hove, Sussex, to Miriam (née Freedman), wife of Julian FLEXER, of 55, Woodruff Avenue, Hove, Sussex.

A daughter, Marla June (their second), was born on Monday, February 23, 1953, in Vancouver, to Marilyn (née Horwich), wife of Maurice GOLDSTONE, of 6815, Montgomery 52nd Avenue West, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada (both formerly of Manchester, England).

A daughter (Rosalind Leora) was born on Friday, February 27, 1953, at the Royal Northern Hospital (St. David's Wing), Holloway Road, N.7, to Theresa (née Fox), wife of Percy JEFFERSON, of 97, Wolmer Gardens, Edgware.

A daughter (Valeria Susan) was born on Saturday, February 28, 1953, at Dennison Hall Nursing Home, Leeds, 3, to Hazel (née Landey), wife of Sidney LOOFE, of 20, Primley Park Avenue, Alwoodley, Leeds.

A daughter, Josephine (their second child), was born on February 26, 1953, at the Old Court Nursing Home, Hanger Lane, Ealing, to Audrey (née Cohen), wife of Emanuel MELNICK, of 30, Green Lane, Edgware.

A son (Raymond Barry) was born on Tuesday, March 3, 1953, at Middlesex Hospital, London, W.1, to Betty (née Leigh), wife of Alfred MESSER, of 49, Cavendish Road, N.W.6. Temporary address: 52, Warwick Grove, Upper Clapton, E.5.

A son was born on Friday, February 27, 1953, at the Leinster Nursing Home, Upper Pembroke Street, Dublin, to Serena (née Dubner), wife of Ernest NEWMAN, of 3, Green Park, Orwell Road, Rathgar, Dublin.

CALENDAR AND DIARY

Adar 29 days

Friday, March 6, to Friday, March 13 (Adar 19 to Adar 26)

Friday (Adar 19), March 6, Sabbath begins at 5.30.

Saturday (Adar 20), March 7. Portion of the Law (Torah) כי תשא פי פרה Exodus xxx. 11 to end of xxxiv. and Numbers xix. 1-22. Portion of Prophets (Haftara) Ezekiel xxxvi. 16-38.

Sabbath ends (in London) at 6.30.

Friday (Adar 26), March 13, Sabbath begins at 5.30.

BIBLE READERS' UNION

Saturday, March 7 .. Psalms 104
Week-ending Sat., Mar. 14 Psalms 105-111

Particulars can be obtained from the Bible Readers' Union, "Immanuel," 15, St. Andrew's Road, London, N.W.11.

A son (Ivan Seth) was born on Friday, February 27, 1953, to Edith (née Jacobs), wife of Henry L. NEWMAN, of 151, Bury New Road, Prestwich, Lancs. The child is a great-grandson for the Rev. Harris Newman.

A daughter (Suzanne Claire) was born on Thursday, February 26, 1953, to Barbara (née Freedman), wife of Leonard PLASKOW, of Flat 6, No. 97, Broadhurst Gardens, London, N.W.6.

A daughter, Janice Beverly (their second), was born on Saturday, February 28, 1953, at St. John and St. Elizabeth Hospital, Circus Road, N.W.8, to Sadie (née Michaels), wife of Cyril ROLES, of 28, Sherwood Road, N.W.4.

A son (Brian Edward) was born on February 6, 1953, to Adèle (née Barnett), wife of Howard Robinson SUSLAK, formerly of London, now residing at 1235, Park Avenue, New York City, U.S.A.

A son, Alfred Andrew (their second child), was born on February 24, 1953, to Irene (Icky) (née Savage), wife of Leonard WHITE, of 18, The High, Streatham, S.W.16.

A daughter was born on Tuesday, March 3, 1953, at the London Clinic, 20, Devonshire Place, W.1, to Hannah Deborah (née Cohen), wife of Moshe WINEGARTEN, of 14, Hocroft Road, N.W.2.

A son (יוסף מנדל) was born on February 25, 1953, at Broomfield Park Nursing Home, Alderman's Hill, N.13, to Helen (née Sless), wife of Alfred WOOLF, of 76, Raleigh Drive, Whetstone, London, N.20.

BARMITZVAH

Samuel Jeffrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sol ABRAHAMS, of 23, Castle Hill Road, Prestwich, Manchester, will read a portion of the Law on Saturday March 14, 1953, at the Holy Law Synagogue, Bury Old Road, Prestwich.

Harvey Paul, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Alec JASON, of 4501, Bonner Road, Baltimore, Maryland, U.S.A. (late of Golders Green, London), will read a portion of the Law at Beth Tfiloh Synagogue on Saturday, March 7, 1953. There will be a luncheon, following the service, at Tifereth Israel Hall, Baltimore.

Alan Roderick, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman KELLER, of "Normandie," 7, Nutley Road, Ballsbridge, Dublin, will read a portion of the Law at the Synagogue, Adelaide Road, on Saturday March 7, 1953.

Marcel, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. LEMER, of 57, Burnham Court, Brent Street, Hendon, N.W.4, will read Maftir and Haftara at Golders Green Synagogue, Dunstan Road, N.W.11, on Saturday, March 7, 1953.

FORTHCOMING MARRIAGES

MR. H. BELLMAN AND MISS F. GRAFF

The engagement is announced of Harry, younger son of the late Mr. and Mrs. A. Bellman, of 4, Childwall Park Avenue, Liverpool, 16, to Fay, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Graff, of 38, Menlove Avenue, Liverpool, 18. An "At Home" will be held on Sunday, March 22, 1953, at 38, Menlove Avenue, Liverpool, 18, from 6 to 8 p.m.

MR. G. BENEDYK AND MISS P. GAMES

The engagement is announced of George S. Benedyk, of Derby, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Z. Benedyk, to Pamela Frances, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Games, of 19, Kenwood Gardens, Ilford, Essex.

CPL. M. L. BERMAN, U.S.A.F. AND MISS T. JOSEPHSON

The engagement is announced of Marvin Louis Berman, U.S.A.F., Burtonwood, Lancs., youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Berman, of New Haven, Connecticut, U.S.A., to Teresa, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Josephson, of 9, Mazeppa Street, off Bury New Road, Manchester, 8.

MR. C. A. BLACK AND MISS D. ELLIS

The engagement is announced of Cyril A. Black, A.C.A., son of Councillor and Mrs. R. Black, of 31, Shore Road, E.9, to Doreen, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Ellis, of 4, St. Kilda's Road, N.16.

MR. L. BROMBERG AND MISS LAUTENBERG

The engagement is announced of Lionel, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Bromberg, of 5, Westminster Court, London, N.W.8, to Rita, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Lautenberg, of 40, Lingwood Road, London, E.5.

MR. P. L. COHEN AND MISS S. T. GLYNN

The engagement is announced of Percival Lionel Cohen, M.P.S., of Plymouth, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Cohen, of Finchley, N.3, to Stella Toby, daughter of Mrs. S. Glynn, of Wembley Park, Middlesex (late of Exeter), and the late Mr. S. Glynn.

MR. H. DELMONTE AND MISS A. SALMON

The engagement is announced of Harry, only child of Mrs. M. Delmonte and the late Mr. S. Delmonte, of 153, Evelyn Court, Amhurst Road, E.8, to Anita, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. Salmon, of 96, Belgrade Road, N.16.

MR. J. DRIVER AND MISS T. ALLEN

The engagement is announced of Jeffrey, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Driver, of 155, Brooke Road, E.5, to Thelma, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Allen, of 51a, Cromwell Road, Hove, Sussex.

MR. Y. EL-DROR (UNGER) AND MISS G. WOLKOWITCH

The engagement, in Jerusalem, is announced of Yehuda El-Dror, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Unger, of Israel, to Gertrude, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Wolkowitch, of 15, Sidmouth Road, N.W.2.

MR. D. B. EISEN AND MISS M. L. MYERS

The engagement is announced of Dennis Basil Eisen, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Eisen, of 4, Dunrobin Court, Hampstead, N.W.3, to Miss Mavis Leila Myers, elder daughter of Mrs. F. Myers and the late Mr. B. Myers, of "Claremont," Holne Chase, N.2.

MR. G. FLAX AND MISS P. FREEDMAN

The engagement is announced of Geoffery, youngest son of Mrs. S. Flax and the late Mr. H. Flax, of 15, Russell Parade, Golders Green Road, N.W.11, to Pamela, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Freedman, of 20, Broughton Avenue, Finchley, N.3.

MR. L. FRANKEL AND MISS J. DEYONG

The engagement is announced of Leslie, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Frankel, of 7, Aldford House, W.1, to Jill, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Deyong, of 14, Vale Court, W.9.

MR. H. GARFINKLE AND MISS SILVERMAN

The engagement is announced of Harold, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Garfinkle, of "Broadfields," 256, Hale Lane, Edgware, Middlesex, to Sylvia June, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Myer (Mick) Silverman, of 80, Evering Road, Stoke Newington, N.16.

MR. I. HURST AND MISS G. KAMINSKY

The engagement is announced of Ivor, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hurst, of 28, Woodhill Drive, Prestwich, Lancs, to Greta, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Kaminsky, of 91, Albert Avenue, Prestwich, Lancs.

MR. A. KAY AND MISS E. L. DAVIS

The engagement is announced of Alan, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kay, of 59, St. Stephens Road, E.3, to Evelyn, only child of Mrs. Kitty Davis, of 72, Cazenove Road, N.16.

MR. S. KAYE AND MISS S. HYAMS

The engagement is announced of Stanley, only son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kaye, of 15, Whitley Road, London, N.17, to Shirley, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hyams, of 16, Steeplestone Close, London, N.18.

MR. L. S. KINGSLEY AND MISS S. KARP

The engagement is announced of Leonard, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Kingsley, of 64, Oakington Avenue, Rayners Lane, to Sylvia, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Karp, of 37, Wembley Park Drive, Wembley, Middlesex.

MR. J. LAZARUS AND MISS Y. TISH

The engagement is announced of Jack, younger son of Mrs. Rose Harris and the late Mr. Morris Lazarus, and stepson of Mr. Harry Harris, of 205, Roman Road, E.2, to Yola, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Tish, 15, South Gardens, The Avenue, Wembley Park.

MR. A. A. LEVY AND MISS V. ROTHMAN

The engagement is announced of Alfred Abram, only son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Levy, of 146, Edgwarebury Lane, Edgware, Middlesex, to Valerie Golda, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Rothman, of 40, Plympton Road, Brondesbury, N.W.6.

MR. J. LEVY AND MISS E. ROBOTKIN

The engagement is announced of Jack, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Levy, of 56, Portland Avenue, Stamford Hill, London, N.16, to Ella, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Robotkin, of 82, Wembley Park Drive, Wembley Park, Middlesex.

MR. S. LIPSCHUTZ AND MISS D. NEWMAN

The engagement is announced of Steven Lipschutz, of 44, Ickburgh Road, E.5, only son of the late Mr. Jacob Lipschutz and Mrs. Irma Golfinger, of Givatayim, Israel, to Doris, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Newman, of 29, Brickwood Road, Croydon, Surrey.

MR. A. SHAFFER AND MISS D. BERKOFF

The engagement is announced of Arnold, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Shaffer, of 69, Matlock Road, London, E.10, to Doreen, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Berkoff, of 80, Byron Road, Walthamstow, London, E.17.

DR. L. TEMKIN AND MISS S. YAFFE

The engagement is announced of Lionel, younger son of Mrs. R. Temkin and the late Mr. B. Temkin, of 62, Score Lane, Liverpool, 16, to Suzanne, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Yaffe, of 7, Monks Way, West Kirby, Cheshire.

DR. D. WEITZMAN AND MISS SCHNEIDMAN

The engagement is announced of David Weitzman, M.D., M.R.C.P., of 105, Hallam Street, W.1, only son of the late Mr. and Mrs. L. Weitzman, of London and Hove, to Sylvia, elder daughter of Mrs. Schneidman and the late Mr. S. Schneidman, of 121, Kyverdale Road, N.16.

MR. F. WHITE AND MISS H. FINE

The engagement is announced of Frank White, son of Mr. M. Sugarwhite and the late Mrs. F. Sugarwhite, of 42, Johnson Street, Manchester, 8, to Hilda, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Fine, of 40, Lower Clanbrassil Street, Dublin.

MR. L. GOLD AND MISS R. AVERTON

The marriage will be solemnised on Sunday, March 8, 1953, at 4 p.m., at the West London Synagogue, Upper Berkeley Street, of Mr. Leo Gold, of 97, Barkeston Gardens, Earls Court, S.W.5, to Ruth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Averton, of 34, Heathland Road, N.16.

MARRIAGES

MR. H. FLITTERMAN AND MISS FRANKEL

The marriage was solemnised on Monday, March 2, 1953, at the Royal Hawaiian Hotel, Honolulu, of Harry Flitterman, of 69, Otani-Machi, Nishinomiya-Hyogo Prefecture, Tokyo, Japan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Flitterman, of Los Angeles, California, to Yaffa Frankel, of New York, U.S.A.

PEARL WEDDINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Harry BLACK (Esther Roseman), of 15, Lansdowne House, Christchurch Road, Bournemouth (formerly of 47, Thorn Park, Plymouth), announce the 30th anniversary of their marriage, which was solemnised at the Plymouth Synagogue on March 14, 1923.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam WALDENBERG (Joan Asher), of 23, Sandhill Crescent, Alwoodley, Leeds, announce the 30th anniversary of their marriage, which was solemnised at the Francis Street Synagogue, Leeds, on March 7, 1923.

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TO-MORROW (SABBATH)

Liberal Jewish, 28, St. John's Wood Road, N.W.8. The Rev. V. G. Simmons (North London Progressive Synagogue). Subject: "Humility, True and False." 11 a.m.

PROVINCIAL

TOMORROW (SABBATH)

Luton, Bury Park Road. The Rev. I. Gross (formerly of Dunstable). Subject: "Theory and Practice." Before Musaf.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

SATURDAY, MARCH 7

Dalston Mizrachi Society. Gala Film Show. "The Vilna Legend" and full supporting programme. At the Rutzon Tov Synagogue, 233a, Amhurst Road, E.8. 8 p.m.

Y.P.C. (N. & E.). "Living Newspaper," edited by Mr. J. Witriol. Speakers include Mr. A. Silverman, Mr. G. Cohen, and Mrs. S. Dar. 39, Cranwich Road, N.16 (Manor House stn. or 653 trolleybus). 8 p.m. Visitors welcome.

SUNDAY, MARCH 8

New West End Synagogue Communal Centre. Mr. Arnold L. Haskell, M.A. (Director of Sadler's Wells School), on "Introduction to Ballet." 8.15 p.m.

University of London J.U.S. Professor Hyman Levy: "Science and Literature." Rose Hertz Hall. 7.30 p.m. Visitors 1/-.

Y.P.C. (Edgware). Gala Film Show (Sound and Colour), Legion Hall, Edgware Way, Edgware (113 Bus to Broadfields Avenue). Doors open 7.30 p.m. Show commences 8 p.m. (latecomers cannot be admitted).

MONDAY, MARCH 9

Cricklewood and Willesden Literary Society. Mr. Henry Shaw on "Isaac L. Peretz." 169, Fordwych Road, N.W.2. 8.15 p.m.

London Jewish Graduates' Association. Mr. Philip Sansom on "Anarchism." Arts Theatre Club, 5/6, Gt. Newport Street, W.C.2. 8 p.m. Refreshments. Visitors 2/-.

TUESDAY, MARCH 10

Golders Green Young Zionist Society (affiliated to the Fderation of Zionist Youth). Dr. S. Roth (of the World Jewish Congress) will speak on "Jewish Communities in the World." 15, Elmcroft Gardens, Golders Green, 8.15 p.m. Guests welcome.

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ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE CORONATION

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

Details of some of the arrangements for the Coronation on June 2 were given by the Earl Marshal, the Duke of Norfolk, at a press conference held at Church House, Westminster, on Tuesday.

Many details, said the Duke, had not yet been agreed upon, and all the times must be regarded as provisional.

The Order of Service had yet to be approved by the Queen, and might not be available for publication until the middle of next month.

The service was expected to last from 11.15 a.m. to 1.45 p.m.

At about 11.15, when the Queen enters by the west door of the Abbey, as the trumpets sound a fanfare, and she proceeds in state through the Nave and the choir to her Chair of Estate, the choristers will sing "I was glad when they said unto me, We will go into the House of the Lord" (Psalm 122).

INVALIDS

Lord Nathan, who has been in Westminster Hospital for over a month as the result of an accident, continues to make slow but steady progress.

Continued from previous column

Jews' College. Goldbloom Lectureship in Modern Hebrew. Mr. Joseph Weiss, M.A., on "Jewish Mysticism." 8 p.m. The public is cordially welcome.

North London Zion House, 75, Cazenove Road, N.16. Address by Mr. Jon Kimche (Editor, JEWISH OBSERVER AND MIDDLE EAST REVIEW): "Israel's Dilemma in the Anglo-Egyptian Talks." Chairman: Rabbi Dr. S. M. Lehrman, M.A. 8 p.m. All welcome.

The Hampstead and St. John's Wood Committee for the Jewish Blind welcome new members to their meeting at the Mandeville Hotel, Mandeville Place, W.1. 8.30 p.m.

Y.P.C. (West London). "Life at the Hebrew University." Talk by Dr. A. Glasner, B.Sc (Ldn), Ph.D (Jerusalem). 31, Cottesmore Court, Kensington, W.8. (Nearest tube Kensington High Street and buses to Kensington High Street.) 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11

A.J.A. Younger Members' Branch. Wilfred S. Samuel on "Anglo-Jewish Historical Research." Bew Uri Art Gallery, 14, Portman Street, W.1. 8 p.m. Non-members 1/-.

Cricklewood Mizrachi Society. Lecture by Rabbi Kopel Kahana, M.Litt., on "The Law of Agunah." At the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Pfeffer, 30, Milverton Road, N.W.6. 8.15 p.m.

Jewish Psychic Society. Public Meeting and Evening of Clairvoyance, by Joseph Benjamin. Anson Hall, Chichele Road, Cricklewood, N.W.2. 8 p.m. prompt. Tickets, 2/6, at door. Some reserved, 3/6, by post, prepaid, encl. s.a.e., from Secretary, 26, Sackville St., W.1.

North London Hechalutz invites you to the first talk of a series of three arranged through the Marriage Guidance Council. 75, Cazenove Road, N.16. 8 p.m.

Y.P.C. (Edgware). "Questions of To-day" answered by Mrs. Leah Vilensky. 66, Warwick Avenue, Edgware. 8 p.m. (113 bus to Broadfields Avenue.)

THURSDAY, MARCH 12

Adv. Hebrew Course. Dr. Chaim Rabin: "The Age of Translations." Anglo-Israeli Club. 8 p.m. Arr. by Jewish Agency Education Dept.

Y.P.C. (Hendon and Golders Green). "Experiences in the Middle East." Talks by Enid and Sonny Bornstein. 31, The Avenue, N.10 (102 bus from Golders Green to Grosvenor Road). 8 p.m. By kind permission of Mrs. Lubet.

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SUNDAY, MARCH 8

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Council of Manchester and Salford Jews. Meeting. Nathan Laski Hall, Middleton Road. 10.30 a.m.

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SACRED MUSIC IN HEBREW CLASSES

Introduction in Syllabus Suggested

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

A suggestion by Mr. Bernard Cousin (choirmaster of the Hampstead Synagogue) that the teaching of sacred music be introduced at Hebrew and Religion Classes was endorsed by the Chief Rabbi, on Tuesday of last week.

Mr. Cousin was speaking on "The Teaching of Sacred Music in the Jewish School," at a meeting held by the London Board of Jewish Religious Education, at Woburn House, London, W.C.

Rabbi Brodie, who presided, said that he had been most anxious that singing should be introduced as an important part of the syllabus for their Jewish Religion Classes—the singing of songs and hymns which formed part of the tradition of the Jewish home and synagogue.

Singing Songs of Zion

Their children and young people should be able to sing the songs of Zion even in this land. By that he meant not only those songs introduced in recent years by modern Jewish poets and composers, but those which expressed the hopes, prayers, and aspirations of their people in so far as they were reflected in Jewish life at home and in the synagogue.

Mr. Cousin said that there could be a danger in a too academic approach to the curriculum if they were really concerned with what happened to the children after they had left classes. While the teaching of sacred music was no panacea for indifference to religious observance in later years, the fact remained that music was the most powerful vehicle for fostering religious emotion.

Any teacher, he went on, who did not make use of sacred music was missing the most powerful weapon in his armoury. Those who did not acquire in their childhood a love for synagogue music were all the poorer Jews on that account. Even those parents who observed little must be gratified if their children knew how to intone kiddush on the Shabbat or Yomtov, or to chant passages from the Hagada.

He did not advocate the priority of singing over other subjects, Mr. Cousin continued, but where music was absent the teaching was woefully incomplete, and the opportunity missed for fostering a strong *esprit de corps* among the pupils.

Ministers, he pointed out, could if they so wished, study Chazanut at Jews' College. Why, then, should not the teacher or youth leader, especially those whose duty it was to conduct services, have an opportunity to be equipped for that vital work?

Teaching the Neginot

The quickest and easiest method of teaching, not only the Neginot but also all liturgical music and Israeli songs, would be the making and supplying of gramophone records. That might be a cheaper and much more useful proposition in the first place than the compilation and publication of various music anthologies.

The teaching of sacred music conferred a threefold blessing on the children. It linked them with, and trained them for, their duties in the home, in the synagogue, and in their attitude towards Israel—in fact, in their attitude towards their religion.

After the address, the Rev. G. Boyars, Reader of the Hampstead Synagogue, sang melodies from the book "Sabbath and Festival Music for the Home" (compiled and edited by Mr. Cousin). Israeli songs were sung by Mr. Shmuel Lowensohn, accompanied by Mr. Michael Chazan.

ISRAELI SCHOLAR'S LECTURE TOUR

Hebrew Literature Specialist

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

Professor J. H. Schirmann, who lectures at the Hebrew University on Medieval Hebrew Literature, has arrived in Britain in connection with his lecture tour in countries of the Diaspora. He has lectured at Oxford University and to Jews' College, the Society for Jewish Studies, and the Educational and Cultural Department of the Zionist Organisation.

Prof. J. Schirmann

Born in Kiev in 1904, Professor Schirmann studied in Berlin, where later he joined the Research Institute for Hebrew Poetry when it was founded by Zalmon Schocken in 1930.

When, four years later, the Institute was transferred to Jerusalem, he went with it. In 1942 he joined the academic staff of the Hebrew University. In 1931 and 1932 he conducted research at Oxford, Cambridge, and London Universities on the Geniza manuscripts.

Professor Schirmann told me in an interview that before arriving in Britain he had been on a four-month lecture tour of the U.S.A. He had also lectured in Spain and Portugal. After visiting Manchester and Cambridge (not to lecture) he would spend a further day in London before proceeding to Paris and Brussels University to continue his lecture tour.

Education for Jewish youth, he said, should be based on programmes compiled by teachers in conjunction with Jewish scholars, because it was essential that Jewish subjects and, if possible, Hebrew should also be taught to Jewish pupils in general schools.

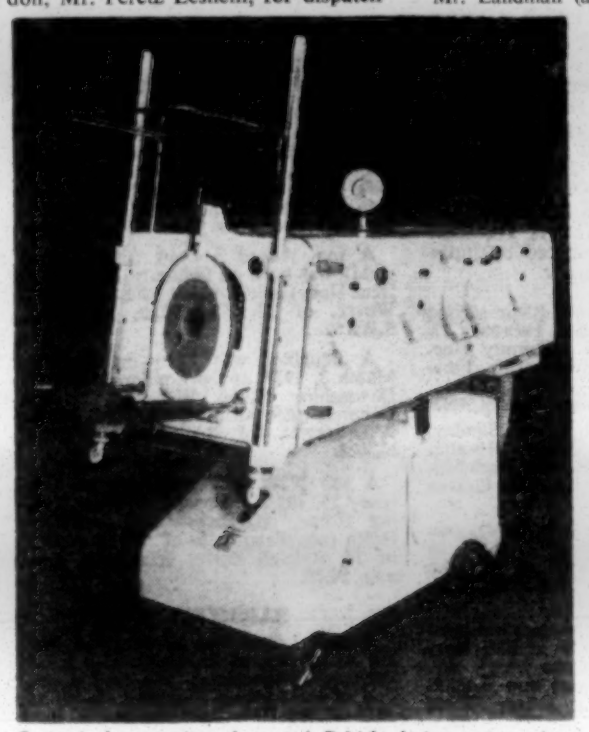
Professor Schirmann is a member of the Vaad Halashon (Hebrew Language Council).

BRITISH IRON LUNGS FOR ISRAEL

Presentation at Embassy

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

Two iron lungs, the first of a new design constructed in Britain, were presented to the Israeli Consul in London, Mr. Peretz Leshem, for dispatch to Israel, by Mr. Samuel Landman, on behalf of the Herzl Supran Memorial Fund, at the Israeli Embassy on Tuesday.



One of the two iron lungs of British design presented to the Israeli Consul

The two lungs, which cost £1,590, will be transported this week free of charge by the Israeli ship, Tamar. One will be installed at the Rambam Hospital in Haifa and the other at the Bnei Braq Hospital.

Relatives of the late Mr. Supran, including his mother, two sisters, and two brothers, attended the ceremony. Mr. Supran, who died in 1949, was the Hon. Secretary of the United Zionist Revisionists of Great Britain.

Mr. Landman (a former Secretary of the World Zionist Organisation, and Acting Chairman of the Herzl Supran Memorial Fund) stated that the Israeli medical authorities had been using an iron lung lent by the British Army, but the British authorities had asked for the return of the apparatus. This request would now be complied with.

The two iron lungs being sent to Israel were greatly superior to models now in use, Mr. Landman said. The improvements had been suggested by a departmental committee of the British Ministry of Health after consultation with the highest medical opinion. Israel would be the first country in the world to receive the new iron lungs.

Accepting the gift on behalf of the Israeli Minister of Health, Mr. Leshem thanked the subscribers to the fund and the Supran family.

There was no greater humanitarian task, Mr. Leshem continued, than helping those people who arrived in Israel from backward countries to regain their health. The iron lungs would save many lives.

Mr. Charles Supran, a brother of the late Herzl Supran, also spoke. The working of the iron lung was explained by Mr. Stanley Cox, of the firm making the new iron lungs.

THE SCIENCE OF JUDAISM

Professor Schirmann on Need for New Study

By a JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporter*

The need for establishing Chairs of post-Biblical Hebrew language and of Jewish history at all the great universities in the world was stressed by Professor J. Schirmann, Professor of Medieval Hebrew Literature at the Hebrew University, when he addressed a lunch-hour meeting held by the Jews' College Union Society, London, last week. Mr. Denis Isaacs, of South Africa, presided.

Professor Schirmann, who spoke on "The Science of Judaism," said this science should lay the foundation for a "Jewish humanism," which should gain for itself the place in the education of Jewish youth everywhere in the world, and not only in the State of Israel. It should knit together the essential elements of Jewish *weltanschauung*, history and literature, and, whenever possible, also the study of the Hebrew language. Its function would be similar to that of the classical Græco-Roman education.

Hebrew Chairs at Universities

"We should strive," he said, "for all great universities of the world to found Chairs of post-Biblical Hebrew language and literature, as well as Jewish history." Since Israel was now an independent State, it should certainly claim no less interest than some small European States and Oriental countries whose history and culture had always been subjects of university studies.

"It is a task of honour incumbent on Jewish communities of all important university centres to advocate the setting up of such Chairs, to find suitable candidates to hold them, and possibly even to finance them."

During the last 30 years a development had taken place, he said, in Israel, which had opened up new perspectives for the science of Judaism. The Hebrew University had offered the latter a place of honour. Scholars had been drawn out of their isolation and placed in a position of being able to carry on their research work in close contact with the representatives of other humanistic subjects.

A lecture on "Jehuda Halevi and Zion" was given by Professor Schirmann at the Anglo-Israeli Club, London, under the auspices of the Jewish Agency Education Department, last week. Dr. J. Heller presided.

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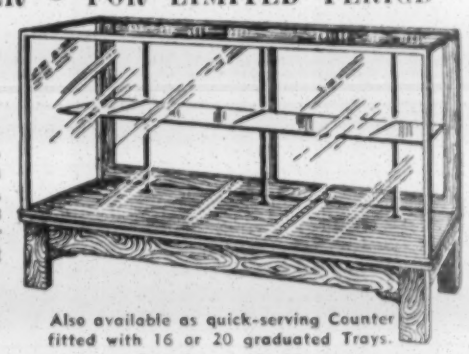

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EFFECT OF SELLING JET AIRCRAFT

Mr. Crossman's Address to J.P.A. Workers

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

The new armaments race started by the sale of British jet aircraft would add a further £1,000,000 to Israel's military expenditure, said Mr. R. H. S. Crossman, M.P., on Sunday.

He was speaking at the annual dinner held by the St. John's Wood and Maida Vale J.P.A. Committee at the Café de Paris, London, W.

Mr. Crossman spoke of the "ghastly burden" imposed on the Jewish State by Arab hostility. He pointed out that 40 per cent of Israel's budget and a fifth of its national income went on defence, proportionately double the amount being spent by Britain. The training of one Israeli (or Arab) pilot in this country, he said, cost £4,000.

The new Soviet propaganda against Israel and Zionism, he continued, contained the danger of stirring up new hatred and bloodshed in the Middle East. Although it was stated that that policy was not directed against the Jews as such, Mr. Crossman said that from a careful study of the mentality of a former British Foreign Secretary he had come to the conclusion that violent anti-Zionism degenerated only too easily into antisemitism. "If that could happen in Whitehall, it could, of course, also happen in the Kremlin," he added.

Left to right: Mr. and Mrs. D. Caplan, Mr. R. H. S. Crossman, M.P., Mrs. M. V. Jacobs, and Mr. Jacobs

The dinner, over which Messrs. D. Caplan and M. V. Jacobs, Joint Chairmen, presided, marked the opening of the campaign in the district. As a result of the appeal, made by Mr. Harry Shine, Executive Director of the J.P.A., £17,000 was raised towards the target figure of £30,000.

It was also announced that in appreciation of the efforts of Mr. A. Wix, President of the Committee, and Mrs. Wix, their names would be inscribed in the Golden Book of the J.N.F.

The Rev. Dr. S. Goldman, Minister of St. John's Wood Synagogue, also spoke.

PROGRESS OF JEWISH LADS' BRIGADE

New Branches Planned in Suburbs

By a JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporter*

With membership continually increasing the Jewish Lads' Brigade intends to establish new branches in many London suburbs, Brigade-Major G. H. Lang told me this week.

The closing down of Camperdown House, where the Brigade had met since 1913, would have no effect on the progress of the J.L.B., Major Lang said. Few of the Brigade's 400 members in London were East London boys, he pointed out. The letting of Camperdown House would enable the Brigade to establish headquarters in districts where they were more needed than in East London.

The Brigade, he added, was forming a company in the Highams Park area. It was also looking for suitable premises in the North-West London and South-East Essex areas, where a number of companies already existed. Progress in that direction was, however, retarded by the lack of officers.

The J.L.B., he stressed, must take account of the movement of the Jewish population in London. The majority of the members in London lived in the North London area. In the past, three-quarters of the total membership of the Brigade came from East London.

Major Lang said that the Brigade's administrative headquarters were now at 75, Baker Street, London.

Parliament

REFUGEES FROM EAST GERMANY

Resettlement Problems

From our Parliamentary Correspondent

Mr. J. GRIMOND (Lib., Orkney and Shetland) asked in the Commons on Monday for the latest figures of refugees from Eastern Germany. He also asked what further steps were being taken to deal with the problem created by this influx.

—Mr. SELWYN LLOYD, Minister of State, said that, since the reply given on February 4, it was estimated that between 35,000 and 40,000 refugees had arrived in West Berlin in February.

The present rate of evacuation to Western Germany, he added, was about 750 a day. It was planned to increase this rate to 30,000 a month as soon as reception facilities in the Federal Republic permitted.

"The Government have been in touch with the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees," said Mr. Lloyd, "and we have asked the German Federal Government to suggest what useful assistance we could render."

Mr. Grimond suggested the time had come to reconstitute, through the United Nations, some agency for taking care of these refugees, removing them out of Berlin and, if necessary, resettling them.

Mr. P. J. NOEL-BAKER (Lab., Derby, S.) thought it was of great importance that there should be an international agency dealing with this matter and, if necessary, that international funds should be raised, with Britain contributing, in order to deal with a problem which might be of tragic importance to German democracy.

VISCOUNT HINCHINGBROOKE (Con., Dorset, S.) asked if the assistance which the Government proposed to offer to the German authorities included an invitation to take a proportion of these refugees into this country.

Mr. Lloyd replied: "I believe that it does not."

SOVIET ANTISEMITISM

Speaking on "Antisemitism in Eastern Europe" at a meeting of the Jewish Ex-Services Club, at Adler House, Adler Street, E.1, recently, Mr. Woolf Perry (Assistant Hon. Secretary of the Zionist Federation), said that Israel had been gradually orientating towards the West. The reasons were economic. Israel needed help and if the United States was prepared to help then Israel would have ties with that country.

UNIVERSITY NEWS

Professor Elias A. Lowe, Professor in Palæography at the Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton, New Jersey, has been elected an honorary Fellow of Corpus Christi College, Oxford.

Mr. Max Beloff, Professorial Fellow of Nuffield College, Oxford, has been re-elected to the Nuffield Readership in the Comparative Study of Institutions for a further period of seven years, with effect from October 1.

The Cambridge University Jewish Society was addressed last Friday by Dr. Eustace Chesser on "The Jewish Attitude to Marriage." On Saturday evening the Society's annual Purimspiel was given before an audience of Cambridge residents and undergraduates.

YOUTH ALIYAH FASHION SHOW

Giving Children Sense of Responsibility

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

At the third Youth Aliyah Aid Society luncheon and fashion show, held at the Dorchester on Tuesday, the Coronation parade of clothes by John Cavanagh, Norman Hartnell, Digby Morton, and Victor Stiebel was packed with beautiful things: soft, glowing colours, exquisite embroideries, splendid workmanship.

From left to right: Mrs. Isaac Wolfson, Mrs. Brodie, Mrs. Lorna Wingate, and Mrs. S. Martyn

Fine fashion was also conspicuous in the audience. Indeed, the occasion's guest of honour, Mrs. Lorna Wingate, began her speech by quoting Mrs. Israel Brodie's remark to her that the guests might even stage their own fashion show.

Mrs. Wingate explained how Youth Aliyah aims at giving children responsibility from the time of their arrival in Israel. It might seem that children who had been through great misery were in need of love only, at least to begin with. Experience had shown, however, that responsibility was just as essential. She also stressed that children are encouraged to work for the parents who eventually join them, to remember they have families and family ties.

Mrs. Sam Martyn, Youth Aliyah Aid Society Chairman, mentioned a recent conversation with Mrs. Vera Weizmann, who had advised anyone who could manage it to visit Israel, to see that wonderful country, and the remarkable effort of Youth Aliyah there.

CZECH LAWYER DENIES SOVIET CHARGES

No Relation of Bernard Baruch

By a JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporter*

Dr. Bernard Baruch Tomaschoff, the well-known Czech lawyer who settled in Israel four years ago, has denied Soviet reports that he is involved in an anti-Communist conspiracy.

Dr. B. Tomaschoff

The official organ of the Soviet Communist Party, IZVESTIA, recently accused "a leading Czech lawyer, Tomaschoff Baruch," of "heading a group of Zionist anti-Soviet conspirators." This "Dr. Baruch" was described as "a relative of a notorious atom-monger, Bernard Baruch," and said to have belonged to "a group helping Czech rabbis to obtain an unprecedented flow of dollars from America into the offices of the Rabbinate." The group was said to consist of "the most vicious enemies of the working class."

In an interview, Dr. Tomaschoff, who left Czechoslovakia in 1939, denied that he was a relative of Mr. Bernard Baruch or that he had ever taken part in an anti-Soviet conspiracy or anti-Communist activities. He had been active only in internal Jewish politics. When he left Czechoslovakia he came to London, where he lived for ten years before settling in Israel. He is now on a short visit to this country.

Dr. Tomaschoff, who is 68 years of age, has been a lifelong Zionist. In 1907 he was the Chairman of the Zionist students of the Budapest University; from 1919 to 1920, President of the Zionist Organisation of Slovakia; and in 1935 Vice-President of the Mizrachi Organisation of Czechoslovakia.

He is a doctor of law and was a friend of Vladimir Clementis, the former Czech Foreign Minister, who was executed after the recent Prague trials.

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JEWISH ORPHANS IN GENTILE HOMES

Brighter Prospects of Recovery

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

The inter-organisational Commission on the Status of Jewish War Orphans in Europe, of which the Chief Rabbi is the Chairman and Dayan Dr. I. Grunfeld the Vice-Chairman, has decided to continue its activities in view of the Finaly case in France and the new prospects in Holland of regaining Jewish children who are still in non-Jewish homes.

The commission, which met at Adler House (Adler Street, E.1) under the chairmanship of Dayan Grunfeld last week, was given a report by Dr. L. Friedman, the Chief Officer of the L'Ezrat Hayeled—the Jewish organisation for the rescue of war orphans in Holland. Of the 1,750 Jewish war orphans, he stated, 500 were at present under Jewish guardianship; 393 were still with non-Jewish foster-parents; the fate of 69 had not yet been decided; while the remainder were now over 21 years of age.

Dr. Friedman said that the situation in Holland had improved in several respects, particularly since the Government *ad hoc* committee—the O.P.K.—had been disbanded and all cases of Jewish war orphans had been dealt with by the ordinary State authorities. More Jewish children were now being returned to their own people, and of the 393 still in non-Jewish homes only one-third, he said, could be regarded as completely lost to Jewry.

Letters from Children

The L'Ezrat Hayeled, he continued, had appointed special officials whose task was to search for Jewish children in non-Jewish homes. As far as it was possible, contact with the children was maintained. Parcels and letters were sent to the children on Jewish Holy-days. Although about 20 parcels had been returned, generally the scheme had met with success. Several orphans had written to express their delight, and there were cases of baptised Jewish children running away to rejoin their own people. Among them was a boy of 18, who had been a student of a Roman Catholic seminary.

The experience of the last two years, Dr. Friedman stressed, had proved that it was not true that the mentality of Jewish children who had been brought up in non-Jewish surroundings had completely changed. When they returned to Jewry they not only felt happy and at home—some had gone to Israel—but they discarded very quickly their previous influences, and some of them even became ultra-Orthodox.

Another encouraging sign, he added, was that when the orphans grew up many of their non-Jewish foster-parents were not so adamant in retaining them.

Referring to the Finaly case in France, Dr. Friedman stated that the case had evoked great and sympathetic interest in Holland. Even the Catholic press expressed itself in favour of returning the two Jewish children to their Jewish relatives, although a similar case had earlier occurred in Holland, when a Jewish girl, Annek Beckman, was kidnapped.

The Chief Rabbi said that it had often been stated by psychiatrists that to return Jewish children who had been baptised and brought up in non-Jewish homes would not be in the best interests of those children, as it would do harm to their mental health. These prognostications had proved unjustified, he declared, and this would be of great importance for the further work of this commission.

Speaking about the Finaly case, Dayan Grunfeld stated that all the details which had been given in the JEWISH CHRONICLE dispatches from Paris were correct. Dealing with the frequent argument that had these two boys not been baptised they would have perished in the crematoria, Dr. Grunfeld said that this argument had been answered long ago. "While our gratitude to those who saved Jewish children is eternal, Jewry is not prepared to pay with the souls of the children for their bodies," Dayan Grunfeld declared.

Mrs. A. Klausner (World Jewish Congress) stated that delicate negotiations between representatives of the Jewish community in France and the Catholic hierarchy were taking place.

French Law Infringed

Mr. Elsley Zeitlyn, a legal adviser to the commission, pointed out that the Jewish case was strengthened by the fact that the kidnapping and smuggling out of the Finaly children had infringed French law, and the chances of the children's recovery were therefore brighter.

Dayan Grunfeld said that he was doubtful whether the Catholic authorities would prove helpful, for it was Catholic dogma that once a child had been baptised—with the consent of either the parents or, as in the Finaly case, of their guardians—the baptism was valid and final.

The commission also discussed the steps which the Chief Rabbi might take in order to support the efforts of Rabbi Kaplan, Joint Acting Chief Rabbi of France. Rabbi Brodie stated that so far he had not received any reply from Rabbi Kaplan to his offer of assistance.

On the suggestion of Mr. E. F. Iwi, a legal adviser of the Commission, it was decided to watch developments and to leave it to the discretion of the Chief Rabbi to take any steps which he might regard as advisable after consultation with Rabbi Kaplan.

EAST LONDON MIZRACHI

A M'lava Malka, arranged by the East London Mizrachi, was held recently at the Adler Hall, E.1. Rabbi M. Frydman, who spoke on the "Aims of the Mizrachi Movement To-day," appealed for support for the J.P.A. Campaign. The Rev. E. Freilich, accompanied at the piano by Mr. S. Taylor, gave a song recital.

The Rev. N. Caplin, Mr. A. Marks, and Mr. N. Pugachov also spoke. Rabbi A. Feldman presided.

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Work for Palestine and Israel

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

The Friends of the Hebrew University of Jerusalem gave a reception on Monday at the Park Lane Hotel in honour of the 70th birthday of their Chairman, Professor Norman Bentwich.

Viscount Samuel, in his address, said that anyone who was a Friend of the Hebrew University was a friend of Norman Bentwich, and anyone who was a friend of Norman Bentwich would soon become a Friend of the Hebrew University. A few days ago, Lord Samuel continued, he had visited Sir Wyndham Deedes, who will be 70 next week, and with whom Norman Bentwich and he had been associated in the early days of the Mandate in Palestine. The young State of Israel had overcome the dangers of infancy but it needed nursing, and who else could be the mother of the young State than the Jewish communities of the world, and particularly those of the English-speaking countries, since the sad occurrences in other parts of the world? To the Hebrew University, the principal cultural institution of Israel, Professor Bentwich had given his greatest service, and in recognition the Friends in this country were establishing a Norman Bentwich Fellowship, which would enable graduates of the Hebrew University to do post-graduate research work in this country. At the same time the University authorities in Jerusalem had decided to name a central room of its Law School after Professor Bentwich.

Professor Bentwich thanked Lord Samuel and all his assembled friends who were connected with the different periods of his life. He came to Palestine for the first time in 1908, and fell in love at first sight. He took a position in the Government of Egypt in order to prepare to live in Palestine. In the First World War he marched with his camels through Sinai to the Promised Land, chewing the cud of Zionist hopes. Then he was in the Mandatory Government, under the guidance of Lord Samuel, and later of Field-Marshal Lord Plumer, when the foundations were laid of a modern State and of the Jewish National Home. One of his dearest colleagues was Sir Wyndham Deedes.

Change of Direction

In his 50th year came a change of direction. He then held the Chair of International Relations at the Hebrew University, but lectured only in one term of the year. The rest of his time he could give to practical work of International Relations, helping refugees from Hitler's Europe. He was engaged in that work for ten years, dealing with the "minute particulars" of individuals, and he had reaped a golden harvest of gratitude. This country, too, had been richly rewarded by acting on its tradition of asylum for the persecuted in admitting in 1938-39 nearly 100,000. It was in that year that his wife, helped with the authority of Lord Samuel, initiated the Children's Movement, which found homes for over 10,000 children in this country. In the same year he had a hand in establishing the transit camp of Richborough, which saved the life of thousands of young men and gave to England thousands of volunteer soldiers.

In recent years he had been in Palestine—later Israel—each winter and felt the thrill of coming great events. And in the last years, as an observer but not as an actor, he had seen the achievement of faith: a people gathered from all parts of the world, conscious that this was their finest hour.

He paid tribute to his Jewish teachers, Solomon Schechter and Ahad Ha'am, to friends like Wyndham Deedes, Judah Magnes, and Henrietta Szold. The Hebrew University was the most unifying institution of the Jewish people and destined to be one of the great academic institutions of the world. Its intellectual export already redressed Israel's adverse balance of trade in material things.

ISRAEL'S FOREIGN POLICY

By a JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporter*

Addressing the New West End Synagogue Communal Centre on "Israeli Foreign Policy," at the synagogue, St. Petersburgh Place, W.2, last week, Mr. Barnet Litvinoff said that the fundamentals of Israel's foreign policy had been determined by its peculiar geographical position, the violent circumstances of its birth, and the atmosphere of tension which divided the entire world into two contending camps.

If it were to survive, Israel, added the speaker, needed three essential things: peace, more immigrants, and money. It was natural for Israel to look for friends and to try to remain on friendly terms with American Jewry.

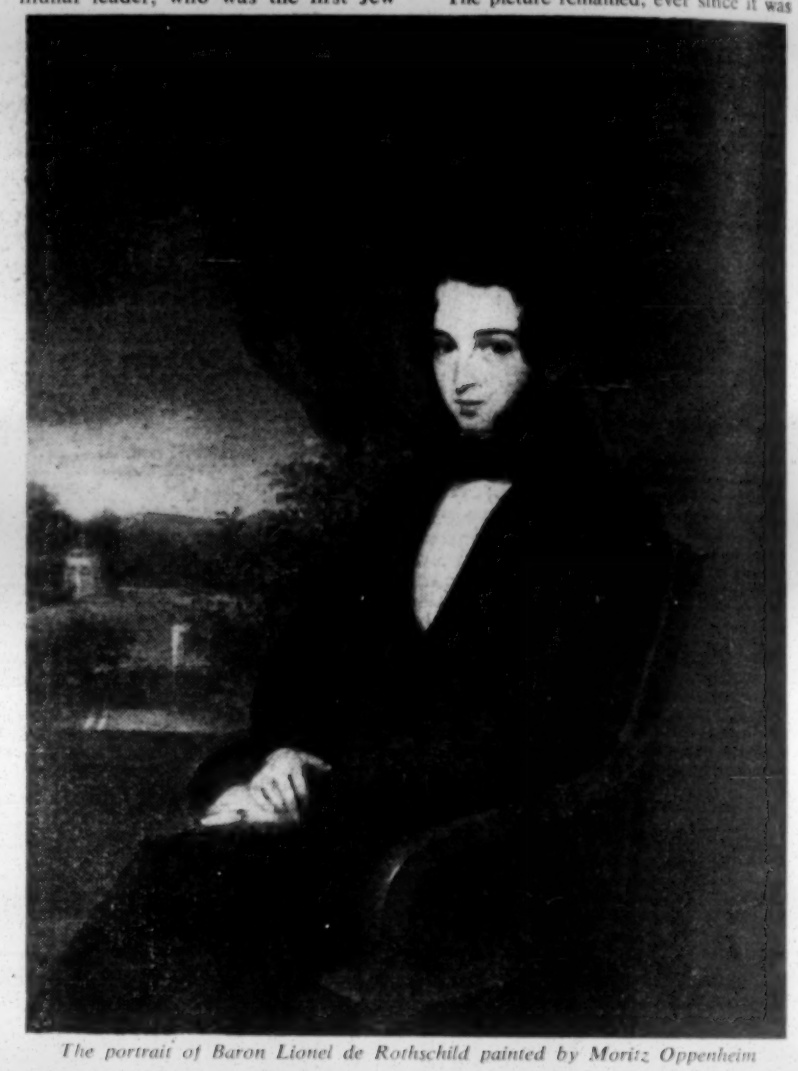
MR. JACOB BRIN, Economic Counsellor of the Israeli Embassy in London, who has been on a visit to Israel, returned to London this week.

PAINTING OF BARON LIONEL DE ROTHSCHILD

National Portrait Gallery's Acquisition

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

A recent acquisition of the National Portrait Gallery, London, is a painting of Baron Lionel de Rothschild, the banker, philanthropist, and communal leader, who was the first Jew to be elected a Member of Parliament.



The portrait of Baron Lionel de Rothschild painted by Moritz Oppenheim

The portrait was painted when Lionel (who was born in London) was visiting Frankfort in 1835. He had gone there to meet his fiancée, Charlotte von Rothschild, of Naples, whom he married in Frankfort the following year.

A month after the wedding his father, Nathan Mayer Rothschild, died there, and Lionel, who was 28 years old, succeeded him as head of the London House. He negotiated Government loans during the Irish famine and the Crimean War and provided the funds for the purchase of the Suez Canal shares. He was elected Liberal M.P. for the City of London in 1847, but could not take his seat until the form of the oath was amended in 1858.

The painter of the portrait—which is now exhibited in the Gallery's special room devoted to new acquisitions—was the celebrated Jewish artist, Moritz Oppenheim, who, besides painting many pictures of Jewish festival occasions and family life, was also a popular portrait painter, his sitters including Heine, Goethe, Zunz, and several members of the house of Rothschild.

Lionel's portrait was painted on the balcony of his Uncle James's residence in Frankfort, overlooking the grounds, in which a pavilion is seen in the distance.

The picture remained, ever since it was painted, in the possession of the Oppenheim family, from one of whose members, now living in London, it was acquired by the Gallery.

ASSISTING REFUGEE RABBIS

[COMMUNICATED]

A scheme to provide assistance for refugee rabbis and other ecclesiastical personnel in this country was discussed at a meeting of the Executive of the Union of Orthodox Hebrew Congregations last week. Rabbi E. Halpern presided.

Dealing with the position of the Union's delegates at the Board of Deputies, the meeting confirmed that delegates were entitled to express their own opinions at Board meetings, unless they had been asked to put forward a particular view by the Hon. Officers or the Executive.

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PURIM CELEBRATIONS

Vine Court Synagogue's Work for Youth

By Jewish Chronicle Reporters

The work of the Vine Court Synagogue, Whitechapel, in arranging children's Sabbath afternoon services, which are conducted by the children themselves, and in holding classes for those adults who wish to learn Hebrew so that they can follow the synagogue services, was praised on Sunday, when a Purim concert was given to the children and their parents in the Joseph Stern Hall of the East London Synagogue, Rectory Square, Stepney, E.

Both these activities are supervised by the minister of the Vine Court Synagogue, Rabbi A. Tarsis, and I was told that there is now an average of 40 children attending every Sabbath, when they are provided with refreshments.

Mr. P. Weiner, a Warden of the East London Synagogue, said that the East London Synagogue was glad to help in the work being done for the religious education of the children.

The Rev. M. Zeffertt, Minister of the East London Synagogue, said that the Vine Court Synagogue was doing excellent work in arranging the children's services. People nowadays were saying that religious life was dying out in the East End, but the Vine Court Synagogue was trying to revive the religious life for which the East End was so famous years ago.

Mr. Zeffertt welcomed the Mayor of Stepney, Cllr. A. D. Bermel, J.P.

The Mayor, after referring to the fine scholastic attainments of many Jewish children in the borough, said that anti-semitism, which not long ago had been rampant in certain parts of the borough, was now very remote indeed.

Other speakers were Rabbi Tarsis, Mr. H. Angel, Mrs. D. Stern, and Mrs. J. Michaels.

The children performed a play and a concert was also given. The children each received a bag of sweets and a shilling.

Brady Club's Party

A Purim fancy dress ball, in celebration of their silver wedding, was given by Mr. Barnett Janner, M.P., and Mrs. Elsie Janner, J.P., at the Brady Girls' Club, Hanbury Street, E.1, on Sunday. The guests were members and managers of the Brady Girls' and Boys' Clubs.

The host and hostess entered the ballroom in bridal procession to the music of Mendelssohn's Wedding March, Mrs. Janner attired in her wedding dress and veil. They then proceeded to "open the ball." Miss Ruth Janner attended her parents in the rôle of bridesmaid and two members of the boys' club acted as pages. Mr. and Mrs. Janner judged the fancy dress entries.

The Janners' association with the Brady Clubs began when Mrs. Janner founded the Girls' Club in 1925. Mr. Janner told me that he had made it an annual custom to participate in the Neilah service at the club on Yom Kippur.

Willesden Women Zionists

A Purim carnival ball, organised by the Willesden Women's Zionist Society, was held at the Carlton Rooms, Maida Vale, and realised £500 towards the Jerusalem Baby Home.

Tree of Life Students' Society

At a Purim party held by the Students' Society in conjunction with the Yeshiva Etz Chaim Breakfast and Luncheon Fund, at the Tree of Life College, Thrawl Street, E., on Monday, the Chairman of the Society, the Rev. I. Broder, said the number of students had doubled in the last year. Other speakers included Rabbi N. S. Greenspan, Mr. M. Foux, and Mr. S. E. Sklan.

Entertainment was provided by the Yeshiva Choir, under the direction of Mr. Broder. The party was arranged by Mr. D. Glassman (Hon. Secretary of the Society) and Mr. Broder.

Ajex Treat

The Stamford Hill branch of Ajex held a children's Purim party on Sunday in the Louis Bard Hall, South Tottenham.

Wembley Zionists

The Wembley and District Zionist Society held a Purim party in the Communal Hall, Forty Avenue, Wembley, on Sunday. An F.Z.Y. group presented a play and other contributors to the entertainment were Mr. Theodore Bikel, and the Rev. L. Klein (accompanied by Mrs. Jameson) who sang Hebrew and Yiddish songs. Miss B. J. Barwell, Chairman of the Society, was the commère.

Young Agudists Act Play

The Agudist Youth Movement gave a Purim performance of "The Schnorrer Royal," in the Stoke Newington Town Hall on Tuesday. The play was acted by junior members of the movement, and produced under the guidance of its youth leaders. The Pirchim Choir, under the direction of Mr. A. Dominitz, sang Hebrew and Yiddish songs. Mr. A. M. Dunner was the M.C.

A Purim celebration was held by the movement on Sunday in the Avigdor Assembly Hall, Lordship Road, N.16.

FORCES PASSOVER CELEBRATIONS

Sedarim in Canal Zone

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

Arrangements are being made to enable Jewish members of the Forces throughout the world to celebrate Passover, I am informed by the Office of the Senior Jewish Chaplain to H.M. Forces.

It is hoped that in Britain all Jewish officers and men will be granted leave.

In Hamburg a Seder will be conducted for members of the B.A.O.R. by the Rev. A. Ginsberg. The Rev. A. W. Miller is to leave shortly by air for Egypt under War Office auspices to conduct Sedarim for Jewish personnel in the Suez Canal Zone. A moral leadership course will be held there during Passover.

In the Far East, Jewish Army, Navy, and Air Force personnel will join in civilian Passover celebrations. They will participate in synagogue services organised by Jewish communities, including those of Singapore and Hong Kong, and will be invited into Jewish homes for Seder celebrations. The same arrangements are being made in Gibraltar and Malta.

In Korea Jewish personnel will join in the celebrations arranged by the American Jewish chaplaincy.

ISRAEL'S RELIGIOUS PROBLEMS

The Rev. W. W. Simpson's Impressions

By a JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporter*

The Rev. W. W. Simpson, Secretary of the Council of Christians and Jews, spoke about some of the religious problems facing Israel, at a meeting held by the Torah Va'Avodah Organisation at North London Zion House, N.16, last Saturday evening. Mr. J. Horowitz presided.

After pointing out that he had come back "baffled, intrigued, fascinated, and wondering" from his recent visit to Israel, Mr. Simpson said the existence of Arab refugees and the concern which the Christian world felt about that matter was part of the religious problem which Israel had to face.

"Part of the religious problem of Israel to-day," said Mr. Simpson, "is how to give religious significance to what the non-Jew and even the Christian regards, for better or worse, as a purely political State born of a set of political circumstances and subject to all the uncertainties, expediencies, and problems of the political State as such."

Referring to the question of religious liberty in the sense of relations with non-Jewish communities, Mr. Simpson said that Israel had adopted a wonderfully liberal attitude. He visited some of the Christian institutions in Israel and he found that very friendly relations existed between the heads of those institutions and representatives of the Christian Relations department at the Ministry for Religious Affairs.

TEL AVIV YESHIVA

£10,000 Building Scheme

By a JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporter*

When the "Central Yeshiva" Beth Joseph was founded in Tel Aviv, 25 years ago, by Rabbi Hillel Witkind with the aim of specialising in the teaching of Jewish ethics, it was the first yeshiva of its kind in that city.

To-day the yeshiva has over 100 students. They include young people from Europe, the Yemen, Iraq, Persia, and Morocco. The senior students are prepared for the Semichat Harabanut while the younger pupils, in addition to learning Gemara, receive a secular education.

Rabbi Witkind, who is on a mission on behalf of the yeshiva in this country, told me that the institution, which had eight branches in various parts of Israel, urgently needed financial help because its premises were being extended at a cost of £10,000 sterling. All the students were fed and clothed by the yeshiva and some slept at premises adjoining the yeshiva. But other students had, because of lack of accommodation, to sleep away from the yeshiva. There was, therefore, an urgent need to extend the premises. Funds were also needed for carrying on the work of the yeshiva.

A very small part of the budget of the yeshiva is supplied by the Israeli Government and the Tel Aviv Municipality, and the yeshiva is dependent upon the generosity of individual subscribers in Israel and in the Diaspora.

Before leaving Israel Rabbi Witkind was given letters by the Chief Rabbi of Israel, Rabbi Dr. Isaac Herzog, Rabbi I. J. Unterman, and other rabbis commending his mission, paying high tribute to the work that is being done at the Yeshiva, and expressing the hope that he would receive financial support.

MANIFOLD TASKS OF GUARDIANS

Problem of Old People

By a JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporter*

The achievements and the tasks facing the Jewish Board of Guardians were described by four senior welfare officers of the Board at the Anglo-Israeli Club, London, recently.

Mr. M. Fineman (Assistant Secretary of the Board) said it had always been the Board's principle that people should be helped to help themselves.

A great expansion of the Board began, he added, after the war, and to-day the Board could fairly be described as a welfare organisation.

Mr. H. Altman (of the General Welfare Department) said his department dealt with about 2,500 cases a year, some of them on more than one occasion.

Orphan Children

Referring to the case of the orphaned child with a surviving parent, Mr. Altman said that they were very anxious that where there was a possibility, such a child should live at home with the surviving parent.

The Children's Officer, Mrs. R. Allen, said that about 1,000 children passed through her department every year. In the gaps in the State system, she said, they could intervene and help people who were genuinely in distress and had need of specific Jewish help. They now had two Homes for the placement of children. Mrs. Allen stressed the need for foster homes, and stated that it was very difficult to find such homes.

The fact that the Board's Homes were not Institutions was stressed by Mr. A. Silverman (of the Welfare of the Aged Department).

In reply to a question about old people suffering from senile decay, Mr. Silverman said that the Board went to very great lengths to avoid, if at all possible, the certification of old people. When it was a medical matter these old people needed more care than they could be give in the Board's Homes.

They already had in their Homes, said Mr. Silverman, some old people who had become "mildly confused" after admission, and if the senility was in a mild form they were able to retain them.

Mr. M. Stern and Mr. M. Bowman also spoke.

A.J.A. to Attend Zurich Conference

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forthcoming assembly as "a fantastic Alice-in-Wonderland conference."

Mr. A. Super (a member of the Board of Deputies) said that the Board itself was unhappy about the conference.

Mr. H. Soref, supported by Messrs. Arnold Levy, H. M. Cansino, and J. Hart, spoke in favour of attending the Zurich conference. To deny to a Jew the right to be a Zionist, Mr. Soref said, was a case of practical antisemitism and a contravention of human rights.

The recommendations of the Executive were adopted by 18 votes to five.

A suggestion by Mr. M. Oppenheimer that the A.J.A. approach the British Government with a request to persuade the Swiss Government to rescind the permission for holding the conference in Zurich, was left for the consideration of the Hon. Officers.

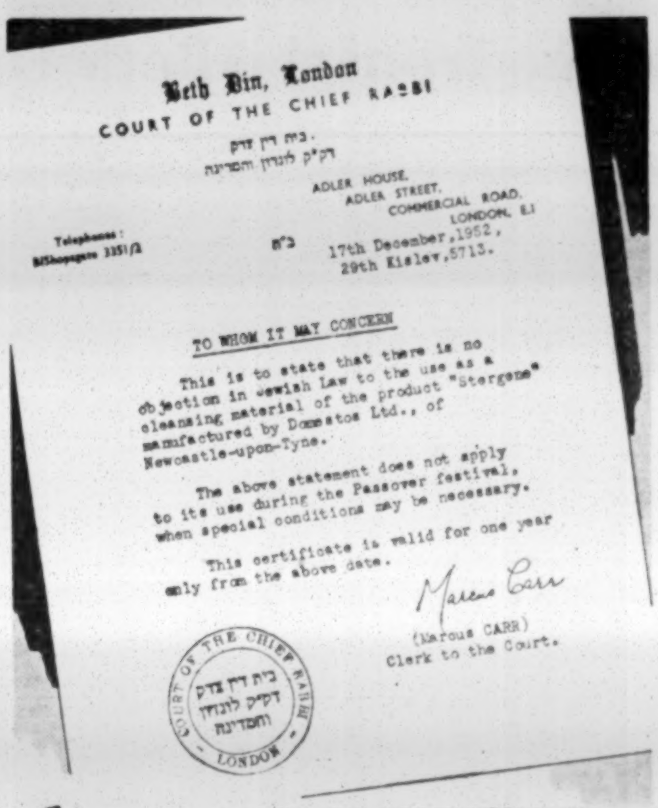
Earlier, the President associated the A.J.A. with the Government of Israel in condemning the individuals or group who had been responsible for the "stupid and criminal" bomb outrage at the Soviet Legation in Tel Aviv, which, he said, had provided the Russians with valuable ammunition in their anti-Jewish campaign.

Coronation Dinner

The President said that a Coronation Dinner, on June 10, to be attended by representatives of provincial and Commonwealth Jewish communities, would be organised by the A.J.A. He had written to Dr. A. Cohen to invite the Board of Deputies to join the A.J.A. as sponsors of that dinner. "Unfortunately," Mr. Montagu said, "Dr. Cohen was unable to persuade his colleagues to co-operate with us—co-operation is a word to be used in attacking us, not to be acted on by them—unless they were allowed to sponsor the dinner alone. They indicated that the A.J.A. might be invited to the dinner, among other organisations. So we have had to go on without them."

Major I. Amswych had been invited to serve as Chairman of the Organising Committee.

The reports of the General Purposes, the Administrative, and Education Committees—submitted by the respective Chairmen, Messrs. R. N. Carvalho, Lawrence Jacobs, and A. S. Diamond—were adopted.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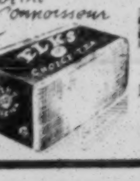

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MAURICE ROSETTÉ

WHATEVER British Parliamentary traces and influences there are—and they are many—in the Knesset in Israel are due in large measure to the fact that its chief guide to Parliamentary practice is a British Jew. A new State established in the true democratic tradition has immediately to face problems of procedure that may well affect its development for generations to come. This is particularly so in its forms of government and administration. It is perhaps especially fortunate that Israel was able to persuade a number of Jews, trained in the steady and temperate British Parliamentary and Civil Service traditions, to take on urgently some of the more important posts. One of these was Maurice (Moshe) Rosetté, of London, who became the Clerk to the Knesset, a post which, ranking as the Director-General of a Ministry, puts him in the topmost grade of the Civil Service.

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That he should be Clerk to the Knesset is the result of four separate influences. The first is his childhood training in Hebrew. His father was a rabbi who came to England in the 1880's and ministered in an obscure little synagogue in Whitechapel. Moshe was born in 1903—he celebrated his 50th birthday just a week ago—the seventh out of ten children; and it was his elder sisters who pruned the family name of Rosetzki to its more French form. As a boy he attended the Stepney Jewish Schools and also a yeshiva.

The second influence was his Socialism, which had developed in a very roundabout way. In 1916, during the First World War, a bomb was dropped near the family house in Whitechapel, leaving his mother an invalid. The family moved to Cardiff, where Moshe was the only Jewish boy in his school. These occurrences made him a pacifist. The third influence on Moshe's life was his conversion to Zionism.

In 1921 Rosetté entered the University of Wales on a scholarship. But, shortly afterwards, his sister's business, on which the family depended, collapsed, and the family moved back to Stepney.

Municipal politics attracted him at an early age, but he failed to get elected, as a Labour candidate, to the Stepney Borough Council. He served his borough, however, in a different way, for, after working as provincial secretary of the Keren Hayesod, he studied accountancy and secured the post of chief cost accountant to the Stepney Borough Council, which he held for ten years. Then, a synthesis occurred of his various interests. Dov Hos, the Israeli Labour leader, became the fourth major influence in Rosetté's life, during a visit he paid to England. On his advice, Rosetté joined the Poale Zion Jewish Socialist Party, affiliated to the British Labour Party. And, from 1930 onwards, it fell to Rosetté at the Labour Party's annual conferences to move the Poale Zion résolution in favour of Labour support of Zionism.

About 1937 Rosetté resigned from the Borough Council and became national secretary of the Jewish National Fund in Great Britain. In 1941 he joined a firm of accountants, but in 1942 he was persuaded by Professor Brodetsky to take over the Information Department of the Jewish Agency in London. For the next six years the figure of this short, solid, generally dour-looking young man, his pugnacity denoted by ginger colouring, was often seen in the lobbies of the House of Commons, where he prompted questions and motions in Parliament about British policy in Palestine. It was then that he made that intimate study of British Parliamentary procedure that is so useful to him to-day.

His first visit to Palestine did not take place until 1947. In the following year the Scarborough Conference of the Labour Party coincided with the declaration of the establishment of the State of Israel. Coming to the end of the time allotted for his usual motion on Palestine, he begged the Conference for a short extension, saying "I have waited two thousand years to make this speech." He got the extension.

When the Provisional Israeli State Council was appointed, with Joseph Sprinzak at its head, Rosetté was clearly the man to be its secretary. He moved out to Israel with his wife and daughter. In his work in the Knesset Rosetté has shown much common sense, a high degree of efficiency, and great helpfulness, both to the Members and to the staff—all three much-needed but comparatively rare qualities in Israel.

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THE PRAGUE TRIAL AND ANTISEMITISM

Differing Views Expressed

By a JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporter*

Different points of view on the recent events affecting Jews in East Europe were expressed at a meeting held by the London Mantle and Costume branch of the National Union of Tailors and Garment Workers at the Holborn Hall, London, W.C.2, last week. The speakers were Mr. Max Weiner, Director of the J.N.F., and the Hon. Ivor Montagu.

Mr. H. Kanter, Chairman of the branch, stated that about 50 per cent of the members were Jewish.

Mr. Weiner said that he had met Slansky and some of his "collaborators" in Prague in 1947 and 1948. From conversations with him on the sale of arms to Israel it was clear that not only was Slansky a sincere and fervent Stalinist but he was the last one to agree to selling arms to Israel. Therefore, to label Slansky a Zionist or even pro-Zionist was absolutely absurd. The arms purchased for Israel were undoubtedly made with the official permission of the Czechoslovakian Government which would never have given it if, in turn, it had not been in accordance with permission from the Russian Government.

Widespread Conspiracy Alleged

Mr. Montagu, who had recently returned from the Soviet Union, said that they were confronted with a widespread conspiracy to play on the feelings and anxieties of the Jewish people and the sympathy that was felt for them by decent people throughout the world, in order to arouse hatred against the Soviet Union and the other countries associated with it, in preparation for war. This was a joint campaign of Jews, non-Jews, and anti-Jews.

It was impossible, he said, for there to be antisemitism in the Soviet Union or in the countries associated with it. For the whole policy of the U.S.S.R. and its structure were built on the equality of all of its various races.

MR. R. A. ALLAN, M.P., addressed the members of the Cultural and Social Club of the Jewish Blind on Sunday, on "Eighteen Months of Conservative Government."

ARAB BANK ACCOUNTS RELEASED

From our Own Correspondent

JERUSALEM

The scheme to release the frozen bank accounts of Arab refugees from Palestine came into force on Sunday.

Israel's offer to release a maximum of I£1,000,000 from these accounts was officially announced last December. Application forms have now been distributed to the offices of the United Nations Works and Relief Agency and branches of the Ottoman and Barclays banks in Egypt, Jordan, Syria, Lebanon, Iraq, and Cyprus. The closing date for the receipt of applications is May 31.

Repayments will be made at the rate of I£50 monthly for each account until I£1,000,000 has been paid out. Claimants must have been permanent residents of territory now in Israel on November 29, 1947, and have left the country before September 1, 1948.

HAIFA—Sixty per cent of the immigrants from India who, last year, insisted upon being repatriated to their country of origin, now want to return to Israel, it is learned here. It is pointed out that the difficult economic situation in India has made it hard for those returning to find employment.—(J.C. Correspondent)

BULGARIAN JEWS ARRIVE IN ISRAEL

From our Correspondent

HAIFA

A party of 28 emigrants from Bulgaria—one of the few Iron Curtain countries still allowing Jews to leave—arrived here last week.

The party included several doctors, engineers, and other professional men. Their diplomas were said to have been taken away from them before they crossed the Bulgarian frontier.

They were allowed to take with them all their personal belongings and furniture, but no currency.

A group of 100 Jews was due to leave Bulgaria this week.

JERUSALEM—Professor Einstein has presented to the national library of the Hebrew University about 200 books from his personal collection, including valuable works on natural science, philosophy, and politics.—(J.T.A.)

ISRAEL'S WOMEN SOLDIERS

Some members of the women's section of the Israeli defence force

MAPAI-MAPAM CONFLICT

Ein Harod Controversy

From Our Own Correspondent

JERUSALEM

A three-man committee of Israeli architects has been appointed by the Histadrut Secretariat to work out "a sensible and acceptable division" of the kibbutz of Ein Harod, necessitated by the conflict between its Mapai and Mapam members.

The settlement started in September, 1921, when a group of about 75 men and women came to the Nuris Valley. To-day it has a population of 1,600 people living in an area of about 4,535 acres, in which the Keren Hayesod, by the end of last year, had invested ££115,780. Most of the settlers are of Polish or Russian extraction. Their village includes large citrus and olive groves and has the largest stainless steel factory in Israel.

The situation here has become more aggravated than in other "mixed" settlements because Ein Harod was the cradle of Kibbutz Hameuchad, the organisation which united most of the collective settlements of Palestine.

Two Settlements

In its heyday, Kibbutz Hameuchad comprised 80 settlements totalling over 13,000 adult members, of whom only 5,000 were members of Mapai and the rest members of Mapam.

In October, 1951, the Mapai members left to form their own organisation, Ichud Hakibbutzim Vehakvutzot (Union of Collective Settlements). By a process of exchanging minority groups, those settlements in which the two parties were uneven managed to eliminate the dissenting elements.

Here at Ein Harod a state of "armed neutrality" has been reached. It has several times been broken by fighting in which blood was shed. The attempt of the settlers themselves to divide the kibbutz amicably has failed completely. Mapai claims 57 per cent of the membership.

There are, in fact, two settlements at present. The land and other possessions have been divided. Each group works separately, has separate schools, kindergartens, nurseries, and kitchens. In order to prevent further bloodshed, the Histadrut Secretariat has appointed a "mixed armistice commission," consisting of one representative from each group and a chairman, to decide on daily problems which arise and to settle the frequent quarrels.

MR. ELATH TO ATTEND CORONATION

From our Own Correspondent

JERUSALEM

Mr. Eliahu Elath, the Israeli Ambassador to Britain, will represent Israel at the Coronation of Queen Elizabeth, it is announced here.

BRAZILIAN JEWRY

Satisfactory Position

By a JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporter*

The present position of Jews in Brazil, who number over 100,000, was satisfactory, Dr. Alfred Hirschberg, the editor of CRONICA ISRAELITA, the Sao Paulo Jewish bi-weekly, told me this week.

Dr. A. Hirschberg

Dr. Hirschberg was passing through London on his way to Israel, which he had been invited to visit by the Keren Hayesod, in appreciation of his work for that organisation in Brazil.

The Jewish community in Brazil, he said, was composed of several groups, the oldest group being the Marranos. There were also Moroccan, Syrian, Lebanese, Egyptian, and Italian Jews, whose ancestors arrived in the Napoleonic era. Later arrivals were Russian and Polish Jews. The most recent newcomers are Jews from Germany and a number of Polish Jews.

According to Dr. Hirschberg, the economic situation in Brazil is probably the best in the world to-day. The Jews have managed to establish themselves in commerce and industry.

There was, added Dr. Hirschberg, a strong pro-Israel sentiment among Brazilian Jewry, and the community's contribution to Jewish national funds was considerable.

Dr. Lafer, the Brazilian Minister of Finance, is the son of a Lithuanian Jew who entered the country at the end of the last century, Dr. Hirschberg said.

STALIN'S ATTITUDE TO THE JEWS

BY A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT

DURING 30 years in power as the ruler of Russia, Stalin's attitude to the Jewish minority, like so many other things in the Soviet Union, has been something of an enigma. As the People's Commissar for the Affairs of Nationalities in the Soviet Union shortly after the Revolution, he became closely associated with the Jews, who constituted an important minority of well over 3,000,000 people, a minority whose members had played a great part in the Revolution, and whose rights to equality—for the first time in the history of Russia—it was Stalin's official duty to protect.

But, in conformity with his attitude to other questions, he followed a policy of opportunism. At no time, however, until these last months was he known to have demonstrated any antisemitic feelings.

A Russian historian writing on Stalin's attitude towards antisemitism recalled how, in 1931, when Hitler was already well on the way to power, Stalin denounced his racial policy. "National and racial chauvinism," Stalin then declared, "is a survival of cannibalism. Antisemitism as an extreme form of racial chauvinism is the most dangerous survival of cannibalism." He condemned antisemitism as being dangerous for the working people and "a false path which leads astray from the right road to the jungle."

Bund's Claims Opposed

This, however, did not prevent him from opposing Jewish claims towards a cultural autonomy made by the Bund—the Jewish Socialist Party—when that Party was still permitted to function in the early years after the Revolution. Like Lenin before him, he opposed Jewish demands for cultural independence, and finally suppressed the Bund completely as an anti-revolutionary movement. He was equally opposed to the autonomous Jewish State in Biro-Bidjan—an idea sponsored by Kalinin, the nominal head of the Soviet Union. Stalin eventually won on this point as in everything else.

He showed renewed sympathy towards the Jews and the Jewish problem during the war and immediately after. Dr. Emil Sommerstein, a former Zionist leader in Poland and, during the war, the Chairman of the Central Committee of Polish Jews in Moscow, on meeting Stalin in 1944, found him willing to support "an international solution of the Jewish problem."

Dr. Sommerstein could not obtain from him any detailed plans on this subject. But, as he later related to this writer, he thought that Stalin was "quite sympathetic to help Jews without, however, committing himself to anything definite." Asked whether he was aware of what had been done by the Germans to Polish Jews, Stalin, Dr. Sommerstein recalled, replied, "Yes, and we shall avenge them."

Decision on Israel

It would be an exaggeration to say that Stalin in this attitude, as in anything else, was really sincere. But it may be that it was this awareness expressed to a Polish Jewish leader at an interview in the Kremlin which did, at least, partly influence Stalin's historic decision to support the creation of an independent State of Israel.

Hardly was this support given, and the reputed "sympathy" for the suffering of the Jewish people demonstrated, than a change in his attitude began to manifest itself. Writing in the middle of 1950 on linguistics, Stalin suddenly began using the phrase "Talmudists," intended to stigmatise persons engaged in hairsplitting arguments. While there was no justification for suggesting that he used this term as a derogatory reference to Jews, it nevertheless had an unpleasant ring. Soon other references, much more significant, began to appear in the Soviet press, of a more definite anti-Jewish character. The Jewish Committee to Fight Fascism, which was created during the war and disappeared afterwards, was never allowed to be reconstituted and Jewish organisations of a cultural nature ceased to exist.

In Moscow, with 500,000 Jews, nothing which could be called Jewish cultural life, except the synagogue itself, was allowed to function. Thus a single derogatory phrase from Stalin's lips was sufficient to set into motion a policy which daily became more manifestly anti-Jewish in that it prevented the existence of an independent Jewish community, compelling it to follow the slippery course of assimilation.

Josef Stalin

In May, 1951, Russian writers, becoming uneasy at the numerous accusations abroad of a growing anti-Jewish trend in the Soviet Union, demonstrated also in the various purges of Jewish officials from diplomatic and other posts abroad, attempted to re-create the legend—it was nothing more than that—of Stalin's opposition to antisemitism.

"Pravda" Review

Reviewing the complete works of Joseph Stalin, a writer in PRAVDA, recalled how Stalin "always condemned antisemitism," pointing out that "Communists as internationalists are determined enemies of antisemitism." But it was already too late. Stalin had shown his true colours. When Ben-Gurion, celebrating the anniversary of Israel's independence in 1952, sent Stalin a message thanking him for the suport which "the Soviet Union has given Israel since its birth," Stalin did not even deign to reply. Kremlin policy towards Israel and the Jews was already then taking a more definite and sinister shape. A few months later the attacks on "cosmopolitanism and rootless people" were intensified, to be followed by the Prague trial and the vile accusations against Zionism, culminating in the diplomatic break with Israel.

Thus, the history of Stalin's relationship with and attitude towards Jews, which began in 1917 with his taking over the office of National Minorities in the Soviet Union when the Russian Jews were given equality came to an end shortly before his illness, of which he is reported to be dying. To the Jews in Russia, especially the older generation, the new policy must have recalled the evil pre-revolutionary days, while Jewry abroad, alarmed over Stalin's changed attitude, is calling a special conference to protest against the new anti-Jewish drive in the Soviet Union.

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PRAYER FOR RUSSIAN JEWS

It is announced by the Office of the Chief Rabbi that the prayer on behalf of the Jews in Russia may now be discontinued until further notice.

LOCUST THREAT TO MIDDLE EAST

Exceptionally heavy locust hopper infestation extends along the Red Sea coastal plains of Saudi Arabia, it is reported by the Anti-Locust Research Centre, British Museum (Natural History), London. Hoppers are expected to appear shortly also in northern Hedjaz from Al Ula to the Jordan border. British Desert Locust Control forces of 33 technical officers, with 105 motor vehicles, machinery, and poison bait, assisted by the Saudi Arabian authorities, are fighting thousands of hopper bands and it is hoped to prevent large escapes of new swarms from the coastal areas.

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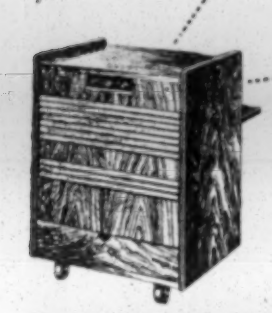

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KEREN KAYEMET CONFERENCE IN FRANCE

Dr. Granott Outlines Future Programme

From our Correspondent

PARIS

The consequences of the diplomatic break between Russia and Israel were described as "extremely grave" by Dr. A. Granott, the Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Jewish National Fund, addressing a conference of the Central Commission of the Jewish National Fund for France and North Africa here last week-end.

He expressed the hope that Russia's present hostility would not last long, but added: "We are determined to do our utmost to defend the honour of the Jewish people and of the Zionist Movement in a dignified manner."

Dr. Granott announced that the implementation of the second, and final, phase of the reclamation of the Hula area had been entrusted to a large Jewish engineering firm in the United States. Within five years, he said, 60,000 dunams of this malaria-infested swamp area would be transformed into a garden.

Outlining the Fund's future programme, Dr. Granott emphasised the necessity of continued land purchases and the establishment of settlements in strategically important places. The Fund's afforestation programme, he said, was to be intensified.

The Keren Kayemet conference in session

ROLE OF AMERICAN JEWISH YOUTH

President Eisenhower's Message

From Our Own Correspondent

NEW YORK

President Eisenhower has sent a special message to the sponsors of Jewish Youth Week, which begins on March 20.

He called on young Americans of the Jewish faith to "renew your study and your application of the ideals that belong equally to the traditions of America and to the ancient teachings of the Jewish religion." He believed that the observance of Jewish Youth Week would inspire youth to "a new awareness of the great rôle you must play in the saving of freedom."

Youth Week is sponsored by the National Jewish Youth Conference, which represents 311 local and national Jewish youth bodies with more than 300,000 members.

"BROTHERHOOD WEEK" CONTROVERSY

West Berlin Rabbi "Insulted"

BERLIN

Rabbi Peter Levinson, spiritual leader of the Liberal community in West Berlin, on Sunday walked out of a meeting of Christians and Jews, arranged here to mark the beginning of "Brotherhood Week."

He said afterwards that he felt insulted by the opening speech by the Protestant General-Superintendent, Dr. Gerhard Jacobi. "Dr. Jacobi," said Rabbi Levinson, "spoke in an arrogant and tactless manner. He asserted that brotherhood could exist only among Christians. But in a condescending tone he added that Christians could take a brotherly attitude towards Jews. It was the tone more than the actual content of Dr. Jacobi's speech that upset me."

Rabbi Levinson said he deeply regretted that the "Week" had opened with discord, as its purpose was to abolish prejudice among people of different religions and descent.

Dr. Jacobi, whose speech was broadcast by all West German radio stations, said later that he had no intention of insulting anyone. He claimed that Rabbi Levinson had "misinterpreted" his speech. He had wanted to make it clear that brotherhood could exist only between those who were united in joint prayers. "But I repeatedly stated in my speech that we Protestants take a brotherly attitude towards all confessions and races," he added. Dr. Jacobi said he would try to remove the misunderstanding by a personal discussion with Rabbi Levinson.—(Reuter)

GERMANS SEE ISRAELI FILM

From our Correspondent

DÜSSELDORF

"Tent City" is the first Israeli film to be shown in Germany. It is being exhibited here this week to mark "Brotherhood Week," which is being organised by the Association for Christian-Jewish Co-operation and the West German authorities.

The "Week" was marked by meetings in all large West German cities, where Jewish and non-Jewish leaders spoke on inter-group relations.

Both the Israeli and German Governments have now agreed to the import of Israeli films by Germany. It is also reported that German films will soon be exhibited in Israel.

FATE OF EAST GERMAN EDITOR

From a Correspondent

No further news has been received of the fate of Hans Jacobus, the chief editor of the East German sports newspaper, SPORT-ECHO, who, as reported in THE JEWISH CHRONICLE last week, has been arrested by Soviet Zone security police.

Mr. Jacobus, a Jew, spent the war years in Britain, where he married the daughter of a Jewish refugee family from Austria. His relatives in London have made several unsuccessful attempts to obtain more information of his whereabouts.

COMPENSATION CLAIMS TO BE SETTLED

Baden-Wurttemberg Decision

From our Correspondent

STUTTGART

The Baden-Württemberg State Government has decided to settle all compensation claims not exceeding 10,000 marks (about £830) filed by victims of Nazism.

Baden-Württemberg will thus be the first West German State to compensate victims of Nazism for losses resulting from the confiscation of insurance policies. Close relatives of victims of Nazism will also receive compensation.

Claims will be settled in full, provided claimants can prove they are in distress.

ASHKENAZIM'S CALL TO DUTCH SEFARDIM

Plea for United Action

From our Correspondent

THE HAGUE

The Dutch Ashkenazi Central Commission (the counterpart of the British Board of Deputies) has issued an appeal to the Sephardi-Portuguese Congregation for co-ordinated and unified action in matters of general Jewish interest.

The Sefardi Congregation in Holland has about 400 members, many united with Ashkenazi families. The community acts independently, usually without consulting the Ashkenazim, on matters concerning the relations between Dutch Jewry and the Government.

NEW DUTCH MINISTER TO ISRAEL

From our Correspondent

THE HAGUE

Mr. Gideon W. Boissevain, the Dutch Minister to Greece, has been appointed to succeed Mr. M. van Karnebeek as the Minister to Israel. Mr. Boissevain, who is 55 years of age, is a career diplomat, and a member of a well-known Amsterdam family.

On his arrival at Schiphol Airport, Mr. van Karnebeek (who has been transferred to Oslo) was greeted by the Israeli Minister to Holland, Dr. M. Amir, who expressed his Government's sincere appreciation to Mr. Karnebeek for his efforts to strengthen friendship between Israel and Holland.

EAST GERMAN-EGYPTIAN TRADE PACT

CAIRO

Egypt and Eastern Germany this week initialled a trade pact here under which Egypt will send cotton, phosphates, and onions to Eastern Germany in return for machinery, electrical appliances, chemicals, and fertilisers.

The balance of imports or exports between the two countries must not at any one time exceed E£500,000 (£512,500 sterling).—(Reuter)

CABINET MINISTER HONOURED

Tribute to Mr. A. Landa

From our Correspondent

SYDNEY

Mr. A. Landa, the newly-elected member of the New South Wales Cabinet, was the guest of honour at a dinner given here on Monday by the New South Wales Jewish Board of Deputies. The Australian Prime Minister, Mr. R. G. Menzies, was represented by the Federal Minister for the Navy and for Air, Mr. W. McMahon. Other guests included the Leader of the Federal Opposition, Dr. H. V. Evatt; the New South Wales Premier, Mr. John J. Cahill; and Jewish communal leaders.

Dr. Evatt referred to Mr. Landa's work on behalf of Israel and Mr. Cahill said that Mr. Landa had enhanced the prestige of the Jewish community.

BELGIAN COMMUNISTS ACTIVE

From our Correspondent

BRUSSELS

The antisemitic campaign in East Europe has intensified the Communist campaign here to undermine the Zionist Federation.

Since the end of the last war the Communists have made considerable progress in attracting young Jews to the Marxist ideology through the dissemination of propaganda in workshops, evening schools, and elsewhere. One effect of this has been a sharp increase in intermarriage.

By infiltrating into the Zionist Federation the Communists, playing on the fears of members at a revival of German militarism, were able to exploit the situation to their advantage. A number of committees against German militarism and the German-Jewish reparations agreements were formed.

In keeping with the current anti-Jewish propaganda in East Europe the Communists here have distributed leaflets threatening to create disturbances at Zionist meetings and to sabotage Zionist work.

PURIM CELEBRATIONS IN U.S.A.

From our Own Correspondent

NEW YORK

Antisemites from Haman to Hitler and Stalin were the subject of many Purim sermons here. The celebrations included a gathering held by the Yiddish Writers' Union to mark the 70th anniversary of the beginning of the mass emigration of Jews to America.

TURKISH RABBI'S INAUGURATION

Istanbul Ceremony

From our Correspondent

ISTANBUL

Rabbi Raphael Saban, who was recently elected Chief Rabbi of Turkey, was formally inducted into office at an impressive ceremony here on Sunday.

Among the distinguished guests were the Mufti of Istanbul, the Greek and Armenian Patriarchs, representatives of the Catholic and Anglican Churches, Government officials, and senior Army officers, and the Mayor of Istanbul.

Rabbi R. Saban

In his inaugural address, Rabbi Saban praised the Government for its friendly attitude towards the Jewish community. He promised that he would do everything possible to assist the country and the Jewish people.

BRITISH STUDENTS TO VISIT AMERICA

Six-Week Tour Arranged

From our Own Correspondent

NEW YORK

Mr. Brian H. Sandelson, the Chairman of the World Union of Jewish Students, has arrived here in connection with the proposed study programme for between 25 and 35 Jewish students from Britain, who will visit America for six weeks this summer.

The programme is intended to give students an insight into the major aspects of American life and to promote the cause of international understanding.

The students will meet leaders of the Jewish community and visit homes, educational institutions, communal organisations, and centres of commerce and industry.

The tour, which will begin on July 26, will cost £160. This includes return air transport, as well as a daily allowance for personal expenses.

The programme is being organised by the World Union of Jewish Students. The visitors will be taken care of by a co-ordinating committee consisting of representatives of the Hillel Foundations, the Inter-Collegiate Zionist Federation of America, and the Federation of Jewish Student Societies.

TALKS ON U.S.A. COLLEGE BAN

From our Own Correspondent

NEW YORK

New England members of the Phi Delta Theta national students' fraternity will meet in Boston shortly to discuss ways of getting rid of an "Aryan blood" clause in their constitution. The fraternity's Charter at present restricts membership to "full Aryans."

Attending the conference will be members of the Williams College branch which, as already reported in THE JEWISH CHRONICLE, was suspended recently for admitting a Jewish student.

ISRAELIS GIVE I£12,500 TO DUTCH FUND

From our Correspondent

AMSTERDAM

Fifteen tons of clothing, 5,000 cases of citrus fruit, and a quantity of anti-typhoid vaccine has so far arrived here from Israel for Dutch flood victims. In addition, Israelis have contributed I£12,500 to the Dutch National Disaster Fund.

Israeli settlements with members of Dutch origin have been asked to send agricultural equipment to Holland.

"PRAGUE PROTOCOLS"

From our Own Correspondent

NEW YORK

A comparison between the testimony at the Prague trials and the notorious "Protocols of the Elders of Zion" has been made here by the Anti-Defamation League of the B'nai B'rith.

In a booklet entitled "The Protocols and the Purge Trial," the League, in analysing the testimony of Slansky and the other Jews convicted in Prague, draws sharp and clear parallels, sometimes in the same language, with the charges made against Jews in the "Protocols of the Elders of Zion."

Oslo—Mr. Charles Philipson, a lawyer, has been elected Chairman of the Jewish Youth Organisation here.—(J.C. Correspondent)

PROPAGANDA FROM RUTHENIA

Mukacevo Rabbi Attacked

By a Special Correspondent

A new voice has just made itself heard in the Russian anti-Jewish propaganda campaign. It came from Transcarpathian Russia, the area which, after being for many years part of the Czech Republic, became an autonomous region known as Ruthenia or the Carpathian-Ukraine after the Munich agreement. Since it was incorporated into the Soviet Union after the war nothing has been heard of its population of over 1,000,000, including 100,000 Jews in Uzhorod, the capital, and the numerous small towns near by.

This silence has been unexpectedly broken in a singular manner. This development occurred in an article entitled "The Zionists are the Accursed Enemies of the Working People," published in the SOVETSKOYE ZAKARPATE, the official organ of the Communist Executive in that area. The paper did not refer to local Zionists or to Jews living in the area. It was devoted almost wholly to denouncing Zionist activities in past years, and accused even the former "Wonder Rabbi" of Mukacevo, as well as other Jewish leaders, of having been "active accomplices of Zionist criminals."

"Espionage Organisations"

All the money that was formerly sent by the "Joint" to assist Jews in that area, said the paper, came from "Wall Street monopolists" and was spent "in order to plunder and transform Ruthenia into an American colony." Not only the "Joint," but also the Jewish Colonisation Organisation, the Jewish National Fund, and Poale Zion were "espionage and subversive organisations." Even the Mizrachi, Wizo, and Betar, were, said the paper, "set up by American dollars."

Mr. Bernard Baruch was referred to as "the relative of a Galician lawyer who sent a never-ending stream of cash to rabbinical offices in Ruthenia and elsewhere to help them actively transform that area into a military springboard against the Soviet Union." In addition to Rabbi Speers, the Mukacevo Rabbi, the paper said that a certain Chaim Kugel, the Director of the Jewish Gymnasium in Mukacevo, and M. Yuskovich, an Uzhorod lawyer, were the ring-leaders of Zionist organisations in Transcarpathia, "working at the behest of American imperialists."

The Zionists, said the paper, co-operated with Trotskyite anti-revolutionary groups, issuing pamphlets and carrying on other activities to compromise the Communist Party and its leaders in the eyes of the masses.

The article, which was reprinted in other Ukrainian newspapers, ended with an appeal for greater vigilance, "because there are still in Transcarpathia remnants of *bourgeois* nationalist parties and elements hostile to the Soviet Union and the People's Democracies."

YIDDISH-POLISH GROUP'S "11,000 MEMBERS"

From a Correspondent

The Jewish Cultural Association in Poland have just published figures stating that it has a registered membership of 11,000. This is the first time that these figures have been released. Until now the authorities were reluctant to disclose the membership of Jewish organisations.

In announcing the figure, the Yiddish press here states that members are recruited from "Jewish working people" and that they all join voluntarily.

The membership of Jewish youth organisations, who form a part of the Polish youth movement, has not been disclosed.

RUBINSTEIN FUND

From our Own Correspondent

NEW YORK

Mr. Artur Rubinstein, the American pianist, has announced the establishment of a $10,000 fund to train talented Israeli pianists.

The grant, to be known as the Rubinstein Fund, will consist of an award of $1,000 to be made every two years to an outstanding Israeli pianist. In addition, Mr. Rubinstein has arranged with six American symphony conductors to present the winning musician as a guest artist with their orchestras.

YUGOSLAV PROTEST

BELGRADE

Representatives of the Yugoslav Jewish community and other speakers addressed a meeting here last week to protest against antisemitism in the Soviet Union and the satellite countries, reports Tanjug, the official Yugoslav news agency. A resolution condemning antisemitism was adopted.—(Reuter)

U.S.A. PROSPECTS AT THE MACCABIAH

Developing a Strong Team

By BILL WOLF

NEW YORK

The task of selecting a team to participate in the Maccabiah in Israel in September is under way in the United States.

Jewish athletes on this side of the Atlantic are wondering whether they will be able to get together a team strong enough to challenge the performances that are expected from the Israeli, British, and South African representatives, for these countries fielded teams in the 1950 Maccabiah which won great respect from Americans who competed against them.

Part of the United States team will be selected by a committee, and part will be decided upon through competition. The total number expected to make up the American contingent will probably reach 100, including the athletes themselves, coaches, officials, and a group of outstanding exhibition performers drawn from the U.S.A. Olympic team that went to Helsinki.

Funds to send the team are being raised by the U.S.A. Committee for Sports in Israel. The Chairman is Col. Harry D. Henshel, and Harold O. Zimman is Chairman of the selection committee that will name the athletes. It is estimated that it will take about $1,000 per athlete to finance the trip.

There will be soccer and basketball teams, as well as entries in track and field events, swimming and diving, volleyball, fencing, wrestling, and weight-lifting. Two events in which the Americans will be taking part in strength for the first time are tennis and boxing.

Sports enthusiasts in England and France may have an opportunity to see the American basketball squad's ability before the Maccabiah, for the playing of exhibition games on the way to Israel is being considered.

Leading Basketball Players

Half of the basketball team will be chosen from among the leading Jewish players in college teams throughout the country. The other half will be made up of the winning team in the annual basketball tournament sponsored by the National Jewish Welfare Board.

It is likely that the participating athletes will include Henry Wittenberg, a champion amateur wrestler who is a veteran Olympic performer and won his event in the Maccabiah; Henry Laskau, one of the world's best walkers, who holds many Amateur Athletic Union titles in the United States, and won in Israel, though he was disqualified at the Olympics on a technicality; Martin Engel, another member of the Olympic team, who will enter for the hammer throw; Roy Chernock, who excels in the low hurdles and the jumps, and was a high individual scorer for the U.S.A. team at the last Maccabiah; Bill Omeltchenko, who came in second in the 800 metres and 1,500 metres races; and Stanley Lampert and Bernie Mayer, two specialists in putting the shot.

A virtual certainty is the inclusion of the young swimming star, Bobbie Fisher, who was the only girl athlete in the American Maccabiah team—she was only 14 years old at the time. In the Israeli competition she won third place in three events—the 100 metres and 400 metres free-style, and the 100 metres back-stroke. She is regarded as a possible member of the 1956 Olympic team.

Besides these athletes with Maccabiah experience there will probably be many newcomers. According to Bob Morrison, athletic director of the Jewish Welfare Board, there is so much new talent available that the old-timers are going to have keen competition in gaining places in this year's team.

Altogether, there is a feeling that the 1953 Maccabiah will be the most successful and most colourful yet held.

ANGLO-GERMAN DEBT AGREEMENT

Britain, France, and the United States signed an agreement with Germany in London on Friday of last week, under which the German Federal Republic accepts responsibility for Germany's pre-war external debts. Under a pact on the post-war debt Britain has accepted £150,000,000, payable over 20 years, in settlement of its claim of £201,800,000.

From the agreement on pre-war debts British creditors will gain about £5,250,000 a year, rising after five years to perhaps £6,750,000. Total liabilities assumed by the German Government are estimated at 550,000,000 Deutschemarks (£46,000,000), rising after five years to 733,000,000 Deutschemarks (£61,000,000).

NEW YORK—The 40th anniversary of the creation of the United Synagogue of America, which represents 442 Conservative congregations throughout the United States, was celebrated recently.—(J.C. Correspondent)

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FEDERATION'S CRISIS

RECENT proceedings of the Federation of Synagogues, duly reported in our last week's issue, have again directed public attention to the way in which that organisation seems to proceed from crisis to crisis. Its past record of achievement appears to be sadly at variance with its present plight. At first sight its history might seem to show a long and continuing development. When it was established in 1887 by SAMUEL MONTAGU (afterwards the first LORD SWAYTHLING), it embodied 16 small Orthodox synagogues in the East End of London. It now comprises four federated synagogues and 57 affiliated congregations situated in most parts of Greater London and two in the provinces.

Yet it may well be doubted how far this topographical extension marks any worthwhile advance on the conditions of a generation ago. The Federation's synagogues in East London, thirty years ago, were all centres of intense religious activity among old and young alike, not only on Sabbaths and Festivals but also day by day. Nothing in the least resembling this activity obtains in its newly opened synagogues in the outlying districts of London. As regards the majority of the Federation's synagogues which are still in the East End, a frank memorandum has been prepared for the Federation by its Secretary, Mr. JULIUS JUNG. This memorandum declares: "The grim facts of the present situation are well known. Most of our synagogues are closed during the week and a large number find it extremely difficult to get a minyan even on the Sabbath. . . . If East London, with its present Jewish population of over 20,000, is allowed to go much longer on the present downward path, the future of the Federation of Synagogues is black indeed." And to reinforce his argument, the Secretary refers to a similar memorandum which he wrote—without any effective result—five years ago. Among other remedial measures, Mr. JUNG proposes the appointment of two young English-speaking rabbis for the East End, in order to influence and regain "the large and important sections with whom we have had no contact of late whatsoever, and who have become completely indifferent to everything Jewish."

The consideration of these proposals caused a heated discussion at last week's uproarious meeting of the Federation's General Council. Personal intrigues and recriminations were, as usual, more in evidence than regard for a religious revival. In an article on the opposite page, Mr. JOEL SLUTSKY makes this forthright but well-merited comment: "Each Council meeting further demonstrates the utter chaos and confusion in the leadership of the Federation, in its religious direction, and in its finances." Although this meeting had matters of the gravest religious importance to discuss, it followed the customary lines, being abandoned in confusion and the Acting President—like others of his predecessors—announcing his resignation. One of the subjects of contention was the ecclesiastical representation of the Federation on the Board of Shechita. Unfortunately, it would appear that the Va'ad Harabbanim (the organisation of Rabbis of the Federation of Synagogues) maintains as intransigent an attitude to the wider interests of the community as does the laity of the Federation. The pompous and pretentious claims advanced on behalf of the Federation with regard to its relationships with other communal organisations would be difficult to substantiate.

It is time that the members of the Federation were awakened to a sense of realities. The loose constitution and limited financial resources of this organisation do not permit of its undertaking tasks such as can best be accomplished by more compact, centralised, and powerful bodies like the United Synagogue. At the same time, the Federation has a fine potential contribution to make to the common weal. First, however, it must determine to put its own house in order and to subordinate personalities to public service. Only in this way can it fulfil its avowed purpose of furthering the interests not only of its immediate membership but also of the wider community. If it fails, the public will be entitled to question the justification for its continued separate existence and to demand that its functions be merged with those of a more responsible body.

EDUCATION IN ISRAEL

FOR many reasons the educational system that obtains in the State of Israel is a matter of primary concern both to the citizens of that country and to their fellow-Jews throughout the world. Since Biblical days universal education has formed a characteristic and distinguishing feature of the Jewish way of life. Whether in antiquity, in medieval times, or in the modern age, Jews have ever been foremost in this field of human endeavour. Throughout the lands of the Diaspora they have always shown a passionate devotion to educational principles and values. It is therefore no matter for special surprise that from its very foundation Israel should have been by far the best-educated country in the Middle East. Indeed, a Jewish State that did not attach the utmost significance to the place of education in its national polity is inconceivable. The circumstances attending the foundation of the State have imposed additional reasons for attaching special importance to this aspect of the national renaissance. It must obviously be a tremendously influential factor in the moulding and consolidation of a people still in process of being reborn from the varied human elements brought by the tides of immigration from the world-wide Diaspora. Moreover, the fact that this influence is being brought to bear directly upon the more impressionable minds of children might give hope for the development of a younger generation that would outgrow the tensions and divergences which not unnaturally exist between their elders.

Unhappily, however, the "four-trend" system of education hitherto prevalent, with its concentration on political or religious ideologies, has not been calculated to achieve this much-desired end. It was a move in the right direction, therefore, when, on forming his new Coalition Government last December, Mr. BEN-GURION announced that a State education programme would be introduced and the "trend" system, where linked to political parties, abolished, while religious education would be provided for all children whose parents desired it. The education scheme would recognise, he said, the right of parents to various types of education under the control of the Ministry of Education. Since then, the Education Council (which includes the representatives of all parties except the Agudat Israel) has been discussing methods of implementing this programme which is so vitally essential to the welfare of the State. It is to be hoped that practical common sense will succeed in devising a unified State system which does not impose too sharp a dichotomy between religious and non-religious schools. It ought to be generally possible for the latter schools—while maintaining their desired freedom from ecclesiastical control—to include instruction in the basic spiritual traditions of Judaism, as well as the history of the Diaspora Jewries, a subject on which most young Israelis are woefully ignorant.

On this topic the concern of British and other Jewries is real and relevant. For while many aspects of life in Israel, such as the political and the economic, concern only Israeli citizens, educational issues have a direct bearing on the cultural and spiritual bonds which unite Israel with the Jews of the Diaspora. Throughout Jewish history there has been an identity of interest on the educational and spiritual level between all Jewish communities, wherever they might be, and this identity of interest kept the Diaspora communities together in spite of dispersion. The danger with an Israel which becomes simply another secular State is that it will forget what it owes to the accumulated traditions of the Diaspora and that, conversely, Diaspora Jewry will seek in vain for the focal point from which it hopes that the wisdom of Zion will spring once again. Fortunately—and despite the many jeremiads that have been uttered on the subject over the past few years—there is, as a writer on religious feeling in Israel pointed out in these columns recently, a strong undercurrent of spirituality infusing the people there which no doubt in due course will inspire the reinterpretation of our Faith that Jews are waiting for. It is Israel's duty, for Judaism's sake, therefore, to see that its educational system does not fall short of the highest needs.

A SCANDAL

A FEW weeks ago two Jewish orphans, GERARD and ROBERT FINALY, were kidnapped from a Roman Catholic institution in Bayonne. They had been in Catholic hands since 1944, when their father, Dr. FINALY, anticipating arrest—he and his wife are believed to have been murdered by the Nazis—handed them over to a devout Catholic, Mlle BRUN, who had the boys baptised. As a result of legal proceedings begun seven years ago by relatives of the family, Mlle BRUN was last year ordered to surrender the children. She refused, transferring them from monastery to monastery in France and, finally, having them smuggled across the Spanish border. This can only have been done with the connivance of a number of priests. The children's present whereabouts are unknown, though it is suggested they may have been smuggled into Portugal or shipped off to South America. Neither the French nor the Spanish authorities or clergy confess to any knowledge of the orphans' whereabouts, though it would seem amazing that children could be spirited away in this fashion without some responsible persons, whether clerics or laymen, knowing of it. The French Court of Appeal has ordered the restoration of the children to their family, and certain French clergymen, notably the BISHOP OF GRENOBLE, acting on the instructions of the PRIMATE OF GAUL, have intimated their strong desire to comply with the Court's verdict. Unfortunately, as some of the prelates admit, the Catholic Church has its fanatics, and there is the Catholic doctrine of "once baptised, always a member of the Church." That, however, is a doctrine which, whatever its binding force on Catholics, is completely inadmissible to Jews as Jews. The children, as far as Jewry is concerned, are Jews, and they must, if morality and justice are to be served, be restored, and without delay, to their relatives. It is high time that the Church authorities took vigorous steps to stop what has become a deplorable scandal.

TALKING OF WOMEN

WOMEN, according to the no doubt jaundiced view of men, spend a far larger proportion of their time than they ought to in talking. This ungallant opinion implies, of course, that men are free of this fault and that, as the world's workers, they devote themselves sternly to the tasks in hand and eschew the more brittle art of prattling while there is a job to be done. Yet, if we were to examine the respective attitudes, and aptitudes, of men and women when, for example, they meet in numbers at conferences of their own sex, we should find that the converse is almost invariably true. If talking is to be found at its roundest, its longest, its vaguest, then it will be at the men's meeting; if at its most earnest, most concise, and most practical, at the women's gathering. A man, and his male comrades, will cheerfully keep a meeting going till 1 a.m., with a hideous amount of blather and an infinite number of points of order, and the same man will feel odiously martyred if, at 1.30 a.m., while he is trying to fall asleep, his wife continues to give him the gossip of the day, which she has with pathetic eagerness been saving for his ears on his arrival home. Probably it is from some such circumstance as this last that the legend of woman's talkativeness arose. For some unknown reason, excessive speech-making is a disease more particularly prone to afflict Zionist meetings, and it is a rare Zionist conference—of men—that gets comfortably to the end of its agenda with all the business transacted and nothing left over "for the consideration of the Executive." Not so the women Zionists. They have built up a tradition, through Wizo particularly, of dispatch in business and forthrightness in aims, with no political party nonsense attached. The Federation of Women Zionists are going to hold a two-day conference in London next Tuesday and Wednesday, and we think we are safe in prophesying that they will emerge from it with renewed earnestness in their drives to help the Jerusalem Baby Home and the campaigns for food and clothing for Israel, to acquire and impart culture, and to make new members for the movement attracted by work rather than talk. Nor dare they prove our prophecy false!

About Books

RELIGION & PSYCHOLOGY

God and the Unconscious. By VICTOR WHITE. With a foreword by C. G. JUNG and an appendix by GEBHARD FREI. *Harvill Press.* 21s.

Reviewed by Rabbi Dr. A. ALTMANN

This book represents an interesting attempt, sanctioned by the *imprimatur* of the Roman Catholic Church, to combine the theologian's and the psychologist's approach to religious dogma. For many years its author has steeped himself in Jungian psychology, lectured at the famous conferences of the *Eranos* circle at Ascona, and written extensively on the relationship between theology and psychology. Some of his most striking essays are collected in this work which, from the viewpoint of *rapprochement* between the two spheres indicated, must command the closest and most earnest attention.

The great danger to religion arising out of Jung's psychology lies, as is well known, in its tendency to equate God and the unconscious. Is God indeed nothing but an archetype of the collective unconscious? In Freud's psychology of the ego, id, and superego, God is at least a moral agency, a demanding Father-God. In Jung God tends to become a mere symbol of the self, of the integrated personality. This view has been recently attacked by Martin Buber, who insists on God's transcendence, on the Divine character as a Thou confronting man and addressing a categorical imperative to him. Victor White, on the other hand, finds hardly any fault with Jung's fundamental lack of appreciation of ethical monotheism. He, like many of those fascinated by dogmatic thought, is enamoured with Jung's ability to illumine vast tracts of mystical and mythical religious experience. But he forgets that religion does not exhaust itself in the unconscious mechanisms of the soul. Jung's psychology has a great deal to say about Gnosis, Kabbalah, and kindred phenomena. Yet it does not seem to comprehend the deeper mystery of God's call and man's response.

Criteria of Truth

There is another dangerous aspect to Jungian psychology: its notion of "psychological truth" which has been rightly attacked by J. C. Flugel and Erich Fromm as sacrificing the general criteria of truth observed by other sciences. White, however, is inclined to praise it as an admission of the psychologist's incompetence in the field of philosophy and theology. As a Thomist, he welcomes Jung's statement that psychology has to restrict itself to its own intrinsic field of psychological facts, leaving the question of transcendent validity out of account altogether. He is, at the same time, at pains to assure us that Jung never denied the truths of dogma, and is able to quote his *ipsissima verba* to this effect. Frei, in his appendix, likewise dwells on Jung's repeated statements professing respect for—and even inclination to belief in—the dogmas of Christianity. It seems, therefore, that there are certain grounds for an alliance or, at least, for co-operation between Jung and Christian theology. The only problem that appears to worry the author is the disparity between Jung's stress on the Four as the symbol of Divinity and the Christian worship of the Trinity.

Of great interest is the essay on "Revelation and the Unconscious" which gives an elaborate account of the Thomist theory on the subject. It is disappointing only in so far as it fails to discuss the concept of revelation in the light of the modern psychology of the unconscious. The book as a whole, it may be said, does not do full justice to its title. It does not offer a comprehensive analysis of the problem of "God and the Unconscious" as its title would suggest. It is nevertheless an important book, and many a reader will be grateful for its many shrewd observations. To those who wish for a precise formulation of basic Jungian concepts, Frei's lucidly written appendix will be particularly helpful.

HEBREW AT LONDON UNIVERSITY

The Beginnings of Hebrew Studies at University College, by Siegfried Stein (H. K. Lewis, 5s.), is the lecture that was delivered at University College, London, by the head of the Department of Hebrew, in connection with the Anglo-Jewish Exhibition held there as part of the Festival of Britain in 1951. The lecture, which was reported in our columns at the time, was an important contribution to those celebrations, and its publication with full references and annotations will be welcomed by students of Anglo-Jewish history. The leading personages discussed in the lecture are Sir Isaac Lyon Goldsmid, one of the principal founders of University College and the promoter of its Hebrew Department, and Hyman Hurwitz, who was appointed the first Professor of Hebrew in 1828, the year of the opening of the College. Citations are given from Goldsmid's family papers now in the possession of his descendant, Sir Henry d'Avigdor Goldsmid, D.S.O., who lent several exhibits to the 1951 Exhibition and is among those who have facilitated the publication of this lecture. H.H.

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POLICEMEN

The Colonial Police. By Sir CHARLES JEFFRIES. *Parrish.* 18s. 6d.

Reviewed by C. R. HEWITT

The idea that "the force behind the police is the will of the people" is one of Britain's most characteristic discoveries and one of her most significant exports. At home, although it will spark no enthusiasm in the man who has just paid a parking fine, it has been fostered to such an extent that we can send our policemen into the streets with only wooden truncheons and require them to write out reports whenever they use them (with the result that, when driven to it, they tend to use their fists). Getting such an idea accepted by the native people of a colony is uphill work, even when you accept it unquestioningly yourself; and in this interesting book Sir Charles Jeffries, who is now Deputy Under-Secretary of State for the Colonies, describes that work in simple, clear, somewhat lifeless and yet by no means ineffective language.

In Palestine

Necessarily, in view of its unique character, the short-lived Palestine Police Force gets a chapter to itself—a careful, non-committal, blue-book of a chapter ("a not inglorious chapter," the author calls it)—which may be said to take its tone from the official statement that "half the British police casualties were inflicted by Arabs and half by Jews, for precisely opposite political reasons." Even in Sir Charles's bald recital of dead-pan understatement, the measureless tragedy of those immigrant-running years ("numerous unfortunate incidents took place in connection with this traffic") comes starkly to life again in the mind. And here, for those who can bear to see passionate dedication discussed as a police problem, is as factual an account of it all as could be compressed into a chapter of four thousand words. It is seen as a situation (to quote the High Commissioner himself in a dispatch to the Secretary of State) "in which a policeman is shot and lies wounded in the street beside a bus queue, no member of which will lift a finger to help him." The mutual fear and hate that would immobilise the mixed membership of the queue are not the concern of this book.

Sir Charles distinguishes neatly and effectively between the Police State (suitably anathematised) and the "policed State," which, he says, must be the goal of all the Colonial territories. "The temptation to those in power to want a police force which will impose their authority upon the public is obvious enough, but it is not always easy to recognise it as a temptation." This book may well make it easier.

TALE OF THE TIMES

The New Town. By MERVYN JONES. *Cape.* 15s.

Reviewed by ALEXANDER BARON

Too many novels nowadays are tired. Even if we admire them they give us none of that feeling of zest which we ought to get from a good story. There is nothing tired about Mervyn Jones. That is why his second novel "The New Town," like his first, "No Time To Be Young," has created a stir. There is in his work a vigour and gaiety which the reader feels. He has a joyful curiosity about all things human.

Harry Peterson, the hero of the book, is the General Manager of a New Town. He is a man who loves his country and humanity, and the New Town is a symbol of all his hopes. He, his wife and daughter, his colleagues and enemies, the townspeople and the Londoners waiting to move from the overcrowded slums, form a group whose ambitions, ideals, rivalries, loves, and lusts, are the stuff of this very exciting novel.

One can enjoy the story at three levels: it is food for thought as well as entertainment. There is the human story, there is the fight for the New Town which expresses in miniature the whole political drama of the

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SOCIAL LIFE IN ANGLO-JEWRY

By HELEN C. BENTWICH

THOSE of us who grew up within the Anglo-Jewish community before the First World War were roughly divided between the rich, long-established West End Jews, and the poorer new-comers, mainly living in the East End or Soho. The wealthy West End Jews were accepted as the leaders of the community, and gave help generously, both of their time and money, wherever it was needed. Money was collected rather in the way that the Lord Mayor collects money for his funds to-day. Long lists were published, and people took pride in being as high on the list as possible. Money-collecting "functions" were rare, but when they took place were carried out with dignity, and much thought and individuality.

Personal Service

Personal service was given in social work—work which is now carried out by trained professionals who often do it much better. But not always—there were some grand, though untrained, social workers in those days; and some, fortunately, are still with us. The younger members of the "leading families" were sent, while still in their teens, to work in boys' and girls' clubs, or lead scouts and guides. To some it was a welcome change from the almost ritualistic dancings or gaiety which were the other side of "community life." Some of us were deeply influenced by our work among the poorer members of the community, and became socialists (often in a clandestine way) long before socialism became fashionable. We were shocked by much that we saw and learned, because many of the girls among us led strictly sheltered lives in our homes. Probably some parents never realised all that their daughters were finding out about the "seamy side of life" in Whitechapel and Soho.

Between the wars, this life gradually changed. The old leaders of the community found that they were sharing responsibilities with many who had arrived more recently in the country. Barriers were broken down; and it looked to those who had resented the "leader and the led" pre-1914 attitude as if Anglo-Jewry were becoming a democratic, classless society. Club leaders and other social workers were now drawn from those who had themselves been members of clubs and youth organisations. Chairmen of committees were not necessarily those with titles or pedigrees. It was all very encouraging.

The Balfour Declaration caused division in the community, but never actually split it. There were many cross-currents. Some of the most British of the British Jews were willing to help "cultural" activities in Palestine, or to support known and direct charities. After 1933, the picture changed again. The whole Jewish community, and many who had never before acknowledged that they were Jews, united to help the refugees from Nazi persecution. The story of the devoted work of those years is inspiring and shows what a united community can do to meet a given need, when the appeal is forceful enough.

And now, nearly eight years after the Second World War, what is the social pattern of Anglo-Jewish life? And how does this pattern relate to the changed social life of present-day Britain?

Refugees From Nazism

Two outstanding factors have influenced the life of Anglo-Jewry. One is the presence of thousands of refugees from Nazi persecution, who have made their home in Britain. They are enriching the life, not only of the Jewish community, but also of the country as a whole. Future historians will be able to assess the immense influence they are having on the community, in both its religious and its secular life.

But there is one change which may, perhaps, be assessed as a step backwards. There is a greater tendency towards separation between the Jew and his non-Jewish neighbour. Formerly, this separatism was usually only found among the poorer new immigrants in East London. To-day, because the new immigration has been from a different social background, it is more widespread. As one instance, the writer can quote the remarks of an hotel proprietor of a kasher hotel in a well-known seaside holiday town. When asked if he ever had non-Jewish guests, he replied that he found, when he had, it drove his Jewish guests away, as they were not happy in non-Jewish company. Perhaps this is the inevitable result of appalling persecution; and we may hope that time will gradually draw the Jewish and non-Jewish communities closer together, to the mutual benefit of both.

"Fund-raising and Functions"

The other influence in Anglo-Jewry to-day is the enormous importance attached to wealth, and the somewhat unhealthy atmosphere surrounding what is known as "fund-raising" and "functions." This again may be inevitable; but it may all the same be deplored. Israel is in desperate need of every penny that can be squeezed out of Anglo-Jewry, and desperate needs cause desperate methods. But to many there seems something incongruous—and even distasteful—in the luxurious atmosphere in which money for austerity-ridden Israel is collected. The emphasis on evening dress, the glamour of West End hotels, the high sums paid for dinners and lunches (often of rather poor quality), and the inevitable "tombolas." How far removed all these are from the great cause for which the money is needed! Is it impossible for intelligent men and women (and Jews and Jewesses are among the most intelligent of people) to be persuaded to give money without all those rather out-of-date trappings? Not only are they contrary to everything Israel stands for, but they are also out of tune with modern Britain and the daily life most of us have to live.

But the result is perhaps worse than the "functions" themselves. For a greater importance is attached to wealth in Anglo-Jewry to-day than ever before; for the first time in Jewish history, men of wealth seem of more importance than men of learning and character. This is not a good example for the rising generation, and cannot command the respect of the non-Jews among whom we live. For in Britain to-day, wealth, where it still exists, is reckoned of less account than it used to be, and men and women are measured by what they are rather than by what they possess.

Those who are so deeply concerned with the collection of money for the needs of Israel are immersed in their immediate problems, and they have no time to stand back and look at the pattern of life that is emerging round them. But sometimes those who come from Israel, to help in the collecting, have commented on what is happening to Anglo-Jewry. "Why is Jewish life in England so different from what we hear of English life?" one visitor asked recently. "Is there no unity between the wealthy Jews and the Jewish workers?" And again: "How can we get in touch with the Jewish workers of England? We only meet those who have money." This may seem ungrateful from those who are so badly needing the money of the wealthy. Of course, there is still much valuable social work being done by the wealthier Jews for those who are less fortunate, especially among the younger generation, and for the old people. And there are still many links joining the various geographical areas.

Influence of Welfare State

But the time has passed, in these days of the Welfare State, when the wealthy and the workers can meet only on the basis of one "doing good" or materially helping the other. British society is gradually becoming welded into one whole, each contributing what is within his ability to the community. Anglo-Jewry is not following that pattern, and yet it is a pattern inherently at one with Jewish life and tradition. There must be many among the older generation who looked forward in the early days of the century of such cohesion within the community and hoped to see it in their lifetime. It is because some of us still believe that the future of the Jews in England is vitally important and want to see it in tune both with Judaism and the new Britain, that this has been written.

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CRISIS AT THE FEDERATION

By JOEL SLUTSKY

(A former Treasurer of the Federation of Synagogues)

PAGE 10 of the last issue of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE (February 27) was, I think, masterly in lay-out.

The left-hand side of the page was composed of a number of announcements indicating a progression of well-organised affairs in sections of the community. It began with a list of certain synagogues where regular services and classes are held and youth groups carry on their cultural and social activities. Then came the announcement of a week-end school organised by a Jewish youth movement. Its programme was well arranged, from Oneg Shabbat and Sabbath service to the discussion of a number of serious subjects connected with Israel. Advertisements followed, of a justifiably optimistic kasher butcher announcing his advent in St. John's Wood, and, finally, a piquant touch, which will be relished, of an enterprising firm of pickle manufacturers.

"Community's Chronic Hiccup"

One has often heard the term "printer's devil," and pondered on what he is and what he does. Whatever the answer may be, one thing is certain: who else but a printer's devil with impish foresight would have, on the right-hand side of the page, placed an advertisement for stained glass memorial windows below the report of the latest cavortings of the community's chronic hiccup, the Council of the Federation of Synagogues?

Poor Federation of Synagogues, torn by dissension and intrigue, deflected from its proper tasks by a section of delegates who would seem to enjoy mischief-making! The first job to hand is the Council's favourite pastime, "goading the President." From Mr. Mann's tepid statement at the last meeting, it is difficult to see what the excitement is about. But apparently a section of the delegates dislike a sincere chairman on principle, so another Presidential head rolls in the dust. Mr. Mann made one cardinal error. He should have contented himself with his constitutional right as a Vice-President to carry on as such; and not taken the title of Acting President before the door had shut on his predecessor, Mr. Lederman.

[Mr. Lederman secured a paid administrative position with the Board of Shechita, and was therefore called on to resign from his office as President of the Federation of Synagogues, one of the Board's "parent bodies." This is a correct constitutional requirement.]

But the way in which Mr. Lederman intervened in this discussion is to be deplored. If, as he claims, he has the interests of the Federation at heart, all his influence should have been exerted in support of his successor. But his words and actions can be dangerously misinterpreted to mean that, having secured his appointment with the Board of Shechita, he now wishes to reinstate himself as President.

Each Council meeting further demonstrates the utter chaos and confusion in the leadership of the Federation, in its religious direction, and in its finances. Empty synagogues, empty craniums, and emptying coffers.

What is the use of the vapourings about a "modern kindergarten," an "attractive communal hall," and the building of a large synagogue? And the degrading pomposity of the sub-committee's proposal at this stage to appoint one English-speaking Rabbi and another only if the first makes a "success of the task. . . ."—as if they were considering the appointment of a commercial traveller! Not a single Federation synagogue has so far given up its assets towards central administration, nor a president sacrificed his office. Is it likely that Cannon Street Road Synagogue, recently damaged by fire, will forgo its rebuilding and place its assets in a common pool?

Since 1948, the unfortunate Mr. Jung, the Secretary of the Federation, has been writing memoranda, and the only result is to clog the pigeon-holes. With this exception: that as each election approaches, the same grandiose impracticabilities are trotted out by the would-be office hunters.

How else can one describe these schemes that a Treasurer has the temerity to sponsor, in the light of information in his possession? Let us examine the financial items that should have been considered by the Council, which at any rate were on the agenda.

A loan of £15,000 to Clapton Synagogue, £1,000 to Ilford, a £1,000 grant to the J.P.A., £1,000 to the London Board of Education, over £2,000 in sundry other grants, loans, and gifts—in all over £20,000. At a previous meeting, £20,000 was promised to Springfield Park. There are other old-standing promises, and the constant drain of the Constituent Synagogues.

The total realisable assets of the Burial Society amount to £40,000, as at March, 1951. The income and expenditure barely balance, and the gold-mine of paid funerals at the Edmonton Cemetery is rapidly petering out. It is freely acknowledged by members of the Executive that without an increase of contributions the Federation is doomed; but have they the courage to take the necessary steps?

As for the assets of the Federation, one hardly need bother. Scrip value £10,000, and an overdraft of £10,220 as at March, 1951. Outstanding loans due from the synagogues of £17,639, reducing by about £1,000, which is being swallowed up by expenditure. Need one pile on the agony by mentioning a debt of over £10,000 to the Burial Society?

Where is the financial straw with which the Treasurer is going to make his bricks for the kindergarten, communal hall, and large synagogue? It is indeed "the burning problem of the East End."

As for administration, if an independent committee were to investigate, it would find much to complain about. If the Secretary were a superman, it would make no difference. The Honorary Officers wander in and out, and hamper the staff. The staff work in impossible conditions. There is the minimum of co-operation. And these statements are, I think, beyond challenge.

So much for the Federation at work. Now let us see them at play—*i.e.*, at the festive board of the Chevra Kadisha, whose annual Se'uda is reported on the same page. Even on such an occasion the self-deception and the refusal to face facts go on. Rabbi Cymerman claims that the Federation is the second largest synagogal body, and can claim first place in communal life because its members have the deepest interest in Jewish tradition and Jewish life in all its forms. What has happened to those penetrating blue eyes of the much-respected Rabbi? Are they turned to the azure skies, ignoring the murky waters that swirl round his feet?

Lack of Sacrifices

What evidence has he for these claims? Have the Federation synagogues, or their members, made any institutional or personal sacrifices or contributions which would *now* strengthen and develop Traditional Judaism among the diminishing East End Jewry? The Federation is, and has been for some years, an aggregation of members who pay an insufficient contribution to ensure burial in consecrated ground.

Mr. J. L. Cymerman bemoans the fact that other communal bodies spurn co-operation with the Federation. How can it be otherwise when meeting after meeting ends in uproar and little constructive work? And this bleating about the Federation being treated as the step-child of the community. A step-child has to have a step-parent. Looking at this *enfant terrible*, who would have the courage to marry its parent? Mr. Cymerman demands "our rightful place," and pugnaciously declares his readiness for peace, but not at any price! While he and others indulge in this sort of claptrap, the community, like little Audrey, laughs and laughs.

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Provincial News

DR. GOLDMANN IN THE PROVINCES

J.P.A. in Leeds, Liverpool, and Birmingham

From our Correspondents

A dinner held in Leeds last week, at which Dr. Nahum Goldmann was the principal speaker, raised £38,000 for the J.P.A. The dinner launched the 1953 campaign in Leeds. Mr. J. Ellis presided.

Dr. Goldmann said that a State which had been the dream of many generations was now a fact. But, just as the State had been created with the help of world Jewry, so its continuity could only be assured by the wholehearted moral and financial support of the Jewish people.

Among other speakers were Mr. B. C. Gillinson and Cllr. B. Lyons.

Speaking at a dinner held in Liverpool last week to launch the J.P.A. campaign, Dr. Nahum Goldmann said that however difficult it had been to proclaim the State of Israel it would be twenty times more difficult to maintain, consolidate, and secure it. This could not be done by its citizens alone: they had to rely on the support of the entire Jewish people, who had much for which to thank Israel. "We have started it," said Dr. Goldmann, "and we have to see it through."

Dr. Goldmann was welcomed by the Rav of Liverpool (Rabbi Z. Plitnick) and Dr. I. J. Lipkin, J.P., President of the Merseyside Jewish Representative Council. Other speakers included Mr. L. Levy, who presided (and who expressed thanks to Mr. B. Urding for his management of the dinner arrangements) and Mr. A. Tamarkin.

The dinner raised over £12,000.

The Joint Palestine Appeal was launched in Birmingham on Saturday at a dinner held at the Queen's Hotel, with Dr. Nahum Goldmann as the principal speaker.

Over 200 people attended, and £18,000 was raised towards the target figure of £30,000.

Dr. Goldmann described the support needed for the process of stabilisation in Israel, following the creation of the State. Every Jew, he said, would be responsible for the success or failure of Israel.

Other speakers included Mr. Ivan Shortt, J.P., who presided, and Mr. Reginald Leek, Chairman of the 1953 appeal.

COMMUNAL RABBI'S PORTRAIT

From our Correspondent

MANCHESTER

A portrait of the Communal Rabbi, Dr. A. Altmann, painted by Mrs. E. Robertson, now hangs in the Communal Hall of the South Manchester Synagogue. It was presented to the synagogue by Dr. Altmann at a recent ceremony, when Mr. D. Malwin accepted it on behalf of the congregation.

Mrs. Robertson, who is the wife of Professor Robertson, of the Rylands Library and former head of the Semitics Department of Manchester University, asked Dr. Altmann's permission to paint this portrait some months ago, and it was purchased for him by some friends.

After the presentation Dr. Altmann gave an address on the subject of Judaism and art. The genius of the Jewish people, he said, lay not so much in its visual capacity as in its ability of abstract thinking. The prohibition of sculpture contained in the Second Commandment was specifically designed to preclude any relapse into idol worship, but it was also consonant with the intrinsic character of the Jewish faith. While to the Greek mind the beauty of form and shape represented the highest perfection, Judaism placed emphasis on moral and spiritual values. Man was not destined to be a creator first and foremost in the realm of art, but to respond creatively and imaginatively to the call of God and his fellow-men and to promote happy relationships.

MANCHESTER GUARDIANS' INCOME DOWN

A sharp decrease in the income from annual subscriptions and donations was reported at the monthly meeting of the Manchester Jewish Board of Guardians by Mr. Cecil Wolfson. He hoped that a special campaign would be organised to start a scheme for cash gifts in perpetuity, the interest only to be used for the general purposes of the Board.

Mr. Harry Marks was appointed the Board's representative at the Council of Manchester and Salford Jews. Mr. I. Gouldman presided.

HELPING THE YESHIVA

From our Correspondent

MANCHESTER

At the monthly meeting of the Council of the Manchester Yeshiva, the President, Mr. Saul Rosenberg, stated that the response to the appeal for regular weekly subscribers had been most encouraging. But there was still a long way to go before a stable income would be reached to cover the expenses of £200 per week. The President expressed appreciation to the synagogues, which had increased their annual grants.

It was stated that a student had received Kabalah for shechita from the local Beth Din and would shortly be taking up an appointment with the Manchester Shechita Board. Thanks to the Board and the Agudas Hashochtim for their co-operation in training yeshiva students was expressed.

PURIM PARTY FOR BLIND

Fifty blind people and their guides were entertained at a Purim party at The Holme, Prestwich, on Sunday, by the Manchester branch of the Jewish Blind Society. The Northern Jewish Theatre Group gave a performance, and Mr. Martin Lawrence sang songs. The cost of the party was defrayed by Mr. Sam Brown, of Bournemouth.

LEEDS WOMEN ZIONISTS

From our Correspondent

LEEDS

Among the new groups formed as a result of the recent F.W.Z. membership drive in Leeds is the Sharona Group. The following are among its officers: Miss T. Kleiman, Chairman; Mrs. N. Lurie, Vice-Chairman; Mrs. N. Jackson, Treasurer; and Mesdames F. Williams (15, Woodbourne Avenue, Leeds, 7) and S. Solk, Hon. Secretaries.

An Israeli atmosphere was brought into Leeds on Purim when the Leeds Israeli Association invited members of the Jewish community to join in their Purim Neshef. The Israeli Vice-Consul, Mr. Haim Raphael, and Mrs. Raphael, travelled to Leeds for the occasion.

A spring fashion show of "Rima" and "Marcus" models presented by Mme Florence Wood recently in aid of Jewish Child's Day raised over £130.

Mr. David Balsham has been reappointed by the Leeds Regional Hospital Board to serve on the Leeds B Group Hospital Management Committee.

JEWISH EDUCATION IN SOUTHEND

Dr. Fishman's Visit

From our Correspondent

SOUTHEND-ON-SEA

Dr. Isidore Fishman, Director of Jewish Education, visited Southend and Westcliff last week-end when he met members of the study circles, addressed the Jewish Youth Club, and examined the pupils of the Hebrew Classes.

Speaking at the annual prize-giving to the pupils of the classes on Sunday, Dr. Fishman said that he was greatly impressed with their sound syllabus, and he paid a warm tribute to the teaching staff. He was often asked, he said, why Hebrew was not taught in religion classes generally as a living, colloquial language. He was all in favour of it but the Hebrew tongue must first have relation to the Bible and the Siddur, the Mishna, and the Talmud, and to traditional religious observance generally.

Other speakers included Mr. S. B. Rosenberg, who presided, Rabbi P. Shebson, and Mr. Harry Barnett.

The prizes were distributed by Mesdames P. Shebson and S. B. Rosenberg.

UNITING SHEFFIELD CONGREGATIONS

Central Synagogue Agrees

From our Correspondent

SHEFFIELD

A further step towards a united Hebrew congregation in Sheffield was taken recently, when the Central Hebrew Congregation passed, with only one dissentient, a resolution approving the amalgamation of their synagogue with the Wilson Road Synagogue.

A similar resolution must now be passed by the latter congregation before any action towards union can take place.

Should the amalgamation come into effect it has been suggested that another synagogue would be necessary, in addition to the one at Wilson Road, to serve the whole community. The synagogue building belonging to the Central Congregation was destroyed by enemy action during the war, since when services have been held at temporary premises in Brunswick Street.

The Maccabi Players' 11th production, given on three evenings last week at the Mappin Hall, was Philip King's "On Monday Next," produced by Mr. Abe Levy.

FAIRFIELD SYNAGOGUE'S FUTURE

From our Correspondent

LIVERPOOL

Presiding at the annual meeting of Fairfield Congregation on Sunday, Mr. B. Webb read a letter from a surveyor, acting on behalf of Walker's Dairies Ltd., suggesting that negotiations be entered into for the sale to Messrs. Walker—whose premises adjoin the synagogue—of the site of the synagogue. Mr. Webb said that proposal would receive consideration and that, though the synagogue might move, the congregation would not be liquidated.

The following were elected: Messrs. Max Davidson, Life Parnas; L. Abisgold, Parnas; A. Berman, Gabbai; B. Webb, Chairman; H. Robinson, Treasurer; and B. Pestka, Secretary.

Tributes were paid, at the annual meeting last week of the Old Boys' Association of the Hebrew School, to Mr. E. Felton, for his services, during his year of office as President, and to Mr. S. Richard, who was retiring from the hon. secretaryship after six years in office. The following were elected: Messrs. Julius Cohen, President; I. Levin, Senior Vice-President; S. E. King, Junior Vice-President; M. Katzin, Treasurer; L. Alexander, Assistant Treasurer; and S. Lippa, Hon. Secretary.

Rabbi Dr. J. J. Kokotek addressed the Bebington Rotary Club, recently, on "The Jewish Contribution to Civilisation."

At the recent annual meeting of the Ladies' Guild of the Nusach Ari Congregation the following were elected: Mesdames I. Gershon, President; H. S. Max, Vice-President; J. Rudnick, Treasurer; and B. Silverman, Hon. Secretary.

£10,000 J.P.A. TARGET

From our Correspondent

CARDIFF

At a meeting at his Cyncoed home, Mr. M. J. Cohen reported on the J.P.A. conference held in London, after which it had been decided to set Cardiff's target figure for 1953 at £10,000.

The officers for the campaign are Messrs. M. J. Cohen and Harry Sherman, Joint Chairmen; Isador Rapport, Vice-Chairman; L. M. Rivlin and Sam Cohen, Treasurers; and Freddie Harris, Norman I. Cohen, and Harry Peters, Hon. Secretaries.

Children of the classes of the Cardiff United Synagogue visited the Home for Aged Jews at Penarth on Purim and distributed sweets, fruit, food, and flowers among the residents. They also sang Hebrew songs.

A Purim ball was held at the Royal Hotel in aid of the Cardiff Jewish Board of Guardians.

BOURNEMOUTH

A dance held by Bournemouth Ajex at the Palm Bay Hotel, Boscombe, on Saturday was arranged by the Chairman (Mr. B. Kasmir), Vice-Chairman (Mr. H. Wayne), Treasurer (Mr. N. Levy), Secretary (Mr. A. L. Leader), and Welfare Officer (Mr. W. Pantel). At the recent annual meeting the executive and committee were re-elected.

BRADFORD

Officers elected at the annual meeting of the Bradford Jewish Benevolent Society were Mr. P. Jerome, President; Mr. D. Sugarman, Treasurer; the Rev. J. Israelstam, Hon. Secretary; the Rev. I. Levine, Hon. Investigating Officer; Mr. M. M. Maizels, Hon. Solicitor; and Dr. A. Brodie, Hon. Medical Officer.

Mrs. A. Brodie was hostess at a social at her home last week, in aid of the blue and white bazaar.

LORD PROVOST TO OPEN BAZAAR

£20,000 J.N.F. Target

From our Correspondent

GLASGOW

The Lord Provost of Glasgow, Cllr. Thomas A. Kerr, is to perform the opening ceremony of the Glasgow Blue and White Bazaar in the McLellan Galleries on March 10.

More than twenty Jewish organisations are taking part. The target figure for the bazaar is £20,000, and so far £13,000 has been raised.

GLASGOW PROTESTS AT SOVIET CAMPAIGN

A resolution deploring the antisemitic and anti-Zionist campaign in Russia and the satellite countries was unanimously passed by the Glasgow Jewish Representative Council at a recent meeting, at which Dr. Isidor E. Burton presided.

In a report on the kasher meals service for schoolchildren, which was recently started in the Glasgow Jewish Institute, the Rev. Dr. I. K. Cosgrove, J.P., said that the average number of meals served daily was between 45 and 50. The children so far came from three schools—Gorbals, Adelphi Terrace, and Abbotsford Place.

There were 1,103 Jewish children attending the day schools in Glasgow, and of this number 158 were eating trefa meals, said Dr. Cosgrove.

GOLDEN WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Sakol, of McCulloch Street, Pollokshields, Glasgow, who celebrated their golden wedding last week, came to Britain as children—Mr. Sakol from Russia and Mrs. Sakol from Lithuania. They were married in the Edinburgh Synagogue.

Mr. Sakol was one of the founders of the Poale Zedek Synagogue, which was originally situated in Main Street, Gorbals. For a long period he has been a member of the Pollokshields Congregation, of which one of his sons, Mr. Malcolm H. Sakol, is Hon. Secretary. Another son, Mr. Jack Sakol, has been Hon. Secretary of the Netherlee and Clarkston Congregation for the past three years, while a third son, Mr. Bernard Sakol, is Cheder Convener of the same congregation. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Sakol have also three daughters, and they have 11 grandchildren.

More than 1,000 children took part in Purim celebrations held by the various chedarim and other organisations in Glasgow on Sunday.

SWANSEA ZIONIST SOCIETY

Lack of Support

From our Correspondent

SWANSEA

What was described as "the oldest Zionist society in Wales" is in danger of being closed because of the lack of support by the Swansea community. At a special meeting called by the Swansea Zionist Society last week to receive the resignations of the officers and committee, the Chairman, Mr. Maurice Fishman, said he felt that at the present moment there was no support for the society.

Mr. Fishman said that he, the Vice-Chairman, Treasurer (Mr. S. H. Goldberg), and Secretary (Mr. Harry Goldberg), although resigning from office would carry out their pledge to complete collections for the Youth Aliyah appeal launched by Mrs. Leshem. He announced that Mr. P. L. Pick had offered to act as Chairman *pro tem*, and Mr. Pick then took the chair.

Mr. Pick said his view was that the society should not go out of existence, even if it became smaller. He suggested the appointment of a temporary committee which would try to establish a permanent committee and elect officers.

The meeting voted unanimously in favour of keeping the society alive. The following were appointed to the "emergency" committee: Messrs. Pick, Fishman, Sokoloff, Harry Goldberg, and H. and E. Corrick.

Mr. Pick said that the society had, to all practical purposes dissolved. The temporary committee would have to see about approaching the many new people coming into Swansea.

BRIGHTON AND HOVE

Officers elected at the annual meetings of the Brighton and Hove B'nai B'rith Lodges are: Men's Lodge, Bros. S. Crook, President; A. Sawyer, Vice-President; M. S. Freeman, Treasurer; B. Oberman, Monitor; G. I. Coplan, Warden; W. Cooperman, Guardian; and S. Morganstein and B. Gillman, Hon. Secretaries. Women's Lodge, Sisters K. Monk, President; L. Oberman, Vice-President; H. Reuben, Treasurer; S. Platt, Monitor; C. Gold, Warden; S. Enfield, Guardian; and B. Defries, Hon. Secretary.

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EIRE NEWS

DUBLIN DISPUTE OVER CHILD

Jewish Mother and Moslem Father

From our Correspondent

DUBLIN

A dispute over the possession of the child of a Jewish mother and Moslem father came before the President of the High Court in Dublin last week.

An application was made on behalf of Mrs. Masood Abedi that a conditional order directing Mr. Masood Abedi to deliver up to the Court their six-month-old daughter be struck out, it being mentioned that Mrs. Abedi's sister had taken possession of the child, which was now in the mother's custody. The couple were married by civil process in December, 1951, but a separation took place later. Subsequently, it was stated, the child was taken from her by Mr. Abedi.

The action had been due for hearing early in February, but so far a court of three Judges (usual in such proceedings) had not been available.

Alleged Abduction

Counsel for Mr. Abedi said that notwithstanding that the action was pending before the Court, the wife had taken the law into her own hands by the alleged abduction of the child. They requested an order directing Mrs. Abedi to return the child to her husband and thus restore the *status quo*.

When the President asked if the parties would take one Judge instead of three, Counsel for Mr. Abedi were prepared to accept one Judge, but opposing Counsel were not.

The President said he would arrange for a Court of three Judges to determine the matter as soon as possible.

On Tuesday the President fixed a hearing to have the conditional order (for the return of the child to jurisdiction) made absolute, for the first day of next term, and allowing Mrs. Abedi ten days to show cause why this should not be done.

SCOUT COMMISSIONER HONOURED

Mr. Joseph Levey, National Commissioner of Boy Scouts in Ireland, has been honoured with the Order of the Silver Shamrock for outstanding efforts for the Scout movement in Ireland.

Mr. Levey is the promoter and organiser of the international "Kinnus" of Jewish Scouts which is to be held this summer at Powerscourt, Co. Wicklow.

The recent golden ticket ball in support of Youth Aliyah held at the Metropole Ballroom, Dublin, raised £1,900. The following were elected at the annual meeting of the committee: Mesdames E. Miers, Chairman; S. Crivon, Vice-Chairman; S. Green, Treasurer; and H. Wine, Hon. Secretary.

CORK

Mr. J. T. Clein was presented with a wallet of notes, and Mr. Edward Jackson with book tokens at a recent gathering at the Cork Congregation's Social Rooms, in recognition of their services to the Congregation. Mr. Clein has served as Honorary Secretary for 34 years. The speakers were: Dr. Leslie Scher who presided, Messrs. Max Elyan, J. T. Clein, Edward Jackson, and the Rev. S. Barron.

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GRIMSBY MINISTER APPOINTED

The Rev. W. Wolfson

The Rev. W. Wolfson has accepted a "call" to be minister-teacher-shochet to the Grimsby Congregation.

Mr. Wolfson has been minister of the Beth Shalom Congregation of Edmonton, Canada. He was also the B'nai B'rith Hillel Councillor to the University of Alberta and Vice-President of the Edmonton Council of Christians and Jews. He gave frequent radio talks, including a series of daily talks on the "Morning Devotions" programme of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation.

Before going overseas, Mr. Wolfson was minister of the Plymouth Congregation for 16 years.

The Grimsby branch of Ajex held a dance at the Jewish Club, Pasture Street, recently, in aid of the annual Jewish children's summer outing.

COVENTRY

At the annual meeting of the Coventry branch of the Anti-Tuberculosis League of Israel Mr. Robert Williams, who presided, was elected Joint Chairman with Mrs. Norman Angel. Mr. Rosser Chinn, of the League's Executive, addressed the meeting. Mrs. Olga Eppel, National Organiser, showed a film which she took recently in Israel.

EDINBURGH

The following were elected at the annual meeting of the Edinburgh Jewish Independent Burial Friendly Society: Rabbi I. Cohen, Hon. President; Messrs. J. M. Baker, President; S. Gram, Vice-President; N. Ginsburg, Treasurer; A. Lindeman, Hon. Secretary; G. Jacobson and J. Levinson, Hon. Auditors; R. Cohen, J.P., J. M. Baker, and S. Gram, Trustees; and the Rev. B. Zucker, Baal Mesiseck Rishon.

HARROGATE

A "coffee morning" was given by Mrs. L. Plotkin, at her home, in support of the funds of the Harrogate Ladies' Guild.

HULL

At the annual meeting of the Old Hebrew Congregation Ladies' Guild it was announced that during the past year £100 had been raised towards the Flatlets Fund for the Aged and £120 for the New Synagogue Building Fund. The following were elected: Mesdames J. Levinson, President; H. M. Bentley, Chairman; A. Conley, Vice-Chairman; S. Winroope, Treasurer, and J. Levy, Hon. Secretary.

An American Tea, held last week at the Jewish Institute in aid of Wizo, raised £20. Mrs. L. Rosen presided. Mrs. H. Edelson, of Leeds, gave a talk on "Women's Welfare Work in Israel."

A dance organised by the Ladies' Auxiliary Committee of the Jewish Board of Guardians raised £30; and a jumble sale raised £45.

LUTON

A gathering was held by the Luton Synagogue Ladies' Guild last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Corton, Manchester Street, in aid of the Communal Centre Building Fund.

At a Purim party for children of the Luton Hebrew Classes, arranged by the Luton Synagogue Ladies' Guild in the new Communal Hall, prizes were distributed by Mrs. A. Corton.

NORTHAMPTON

During the past year over £120 had been collected for charitable causes, it was reported at the annual meeting of the Northampton Jewish Ladies' Guild held recently. The following were elected: Mesdames W. Aber, Chairman; B. Bernstein, Vice-Chairman; S. Paige, Treasurer; and I. Necus, Secretary.

NORWICH

The Rev. B. Greenberg addressed the Toc H. group at St. Mary's Parish Church, Hellesdon, last week on "The Duties of a Jewish Minister."

NOTTINGHAM

The Nottingham Jewish Cricket Club played against teams from Manchester, Sheffield, and Northampton during their last season, it was reported at the annual meeting. Out of the 23 games played the club won 14, drew 2, and lost 7.

A gathering held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cave, in aid of the Anti-Tuberculosis League of Israel, raised £130.

The Jewish Youth Centre Drama Group, presenting "Such Sweet Sorrow" in the Nottingham Youth Drama Festival, were adjudged third out of the 19 entrants. Miss Shelagh Rabin was the producer.

Mr. M. Leventhal has accepted the chairmanship of the Nottingham J.P.A. for 1953, Mr. M. Glass the treasurership, and Mr. E. Strauss the hon. secretaryship.

PORTSMOUTH

It was reported at the annual meeting of the Jewish Ladies' Benevolent Society, by the retiring President, Mrs. Eugene Newman, that during the year the Society had distributed £200 to charities, collected £40 for Jewish Child's Day, sent clothing, food, and nursery equipment to Israel, and named a bed at the Home for Aged in London at a cost of £250. Mrs. B. Mikardo was elected Hon. Life Vice-President; Mrs. S. Filer, President; Mrs. J. Berman, Vice-President; Mrs. S. Levison, Treasurer; and Mrs. M. Pins, Hon. Secretary.

Rabbi Eugene Newman recently addressed the Copnor Methodist Guild on "The Roots of Judaism" and the St. Francis Women's Fellowship on "Jewish Faith and Worship."

READING

At the annual meeting of the Reading Congregation the following were elected: Messrs. S. Auerbach, President and Warden; S. Mindel, Vice-President and Warden; D. M. Houseman, Treasurer; J. Cohen and G. Davidson, Hon. Auditors; and A. Cutner, Hon. Secretary.

ROCHESTER

The Rochester and Chatham Memorial Synagogue Ladies' Guild organised a bring-and-buy sale on Sunday and raised £40 for the Synagogue Building Fund.

ST. ANNES-ON-SEA

Many tributes were paid and many gifts presented to the Rev. E. and Mrs. Feldinger at a reception held in their honour at Sefton Court Hotel, St. Annes, on Sunday to celebrate their silver wedding.

SOUTHPORT

Mr. Haim Raphael, Israeli Vice-Consul in Britain, and Mrs. Raphael were guests of honour at a Blue and White Ball held at the Belle Vue Hotel, Southport, on Saturday in aid of the J.N.F. The speakers included Mr. Bernard Forster, who presided, Rabbi Dr. A. E. Silverstone, and Mr. J. Smush.

Southport Ajex were the guests of the R.A.S.C. Association at a social evening last week.

The Arnside Lawn Tennis Club last week held its last annual dance before being taken over by the Hatikvah Society.

The opening meeting of the newly formed Southport branch of the Poale Zion was held at Forrester's Hall on Sunday, when addresses were given by Cllr. Louis Caplan, of Liverpool, and Mr. R. J. Hughes, J.P., President of the Southport Trades Council and Labour Party.

STOKE-ON-TRENT

At the annual meeting of the Stoke-on-Trent Jewish Literary and Social Society, the following were elected: Miss Shena C. Simon, Chairman; Miss Judith Phillips, Secretary; and Mr. Victor Dembo, Treasurer. A play and social evening held last week raised 50 guineas for Jewish Child's Day. The Ladies' Guild made the sum up to £70.

STOCKPORT

At a children's party given jointly by the Stockport Congregation and the Stockport Jewish Ladies' Guild £15 was raised for Jewish Child's Day.

TORQUAY

The Torquay and Paignton Ladies' Guild have collected £20 and the children of the Synagogue Classes a further £7 for Jewish Child's Day.

WORCESTER

A Jewish Ladies' Guild which has been formed in Worcester to raise funds for Israel, has sent its first contribution to the Birmingham Jewish Women's Food Appeal. The officers are Mesdames W. Hirshow, President; O. Newfeld, Chairman; J. Zuck, Treasurer; and A. Buxton, Secretary.

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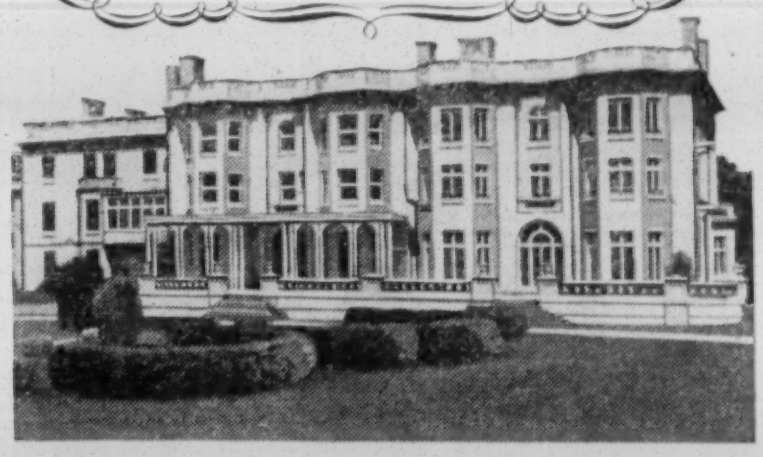
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DEFINING A JEW

Enforcing Testator's Wishes

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

SIR,—On reading Mr. Louis Cohen's letter, in your issue of February 27, I was left wondering whether he had considered how the Chief Rabbi or the Beth Din could be legally expected to construe a phrase in a will that has been held by the House of Lords to be void for uncertainty. The courts might decide that the description "Jew" or "non-Jew" in the hands of even the two Jewish institutions mentioned would be just as incapable of legal definition as in their own hands. The additional fact that the courts are jealous of their jurisdiction in the interpretation of wills being ousted, must not be overlooked.

Furthermore, owing to the doctrine of public policy, the second alternative suggested by Mr. Cohen to insert a clause against contesting the will in the courts might not work.

If a testator or testatrix wishes to control marriages effected after his or her death, would not this purpose be well served by inserting a clause that the proposed beneficiary shall not take if he or she shall marry without the consent of the trustee of the will or some third party? This person would naturally be "in" on the wishes of the maker of the will, and provided that the will gave this person an absolute and unqualified discretion, the desired effect could be achieved.

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THE NEED FOR CAUTION

Suggestion to Zurich Conference

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

From Professor S. BRODETSKY

SIR,—May I say how much I agree with what you write in your leader, "Caution Needed"? I have taken some part in the discussion of the Prague Trial and the Moscow accusations against distinguished Jewish doctors and the "Joint." In connection with the Prague trial I did not introduce any accusation of anti-semitism; I stressed the effect on the Jews in Communist countries of the continuous use of the word "Jewish" by the prosecution and in the evidence, and the linking up of well-known anti-Zionists with Zionism. In the case of Moscow I made the accusation of antisemitism because of the attack on the "Joint," which never had any connection with Zionism.

The mistake in connection with the Zurich conference is that so many organisations have been invited, and so many representatives are going from each. It was not necessary to invite branches of world bodies. The Board of Deputies has four representatives, plus its secretary. So has the World Sephardi Federation. With many participants there is more danger of competition in emotional appeal. One representative from each smaller body and two from each larger body would have been sufficient.

It is, I suppose, too late to change this now, but I would make one suggestion. Let the conference begin, not with a general discussion, but by appointing at its first meeting a committee of moderate size, not more than ten, say, to work out *privately* a set of resolutions and decisions, which the full conference can discuss in a business-like and cautious manner, remembering that the real issue is to save Jews, if possible.

I am not sure that I agree with all that Dr. Eliashiv says, although he was the man "on the spot": diplomatists in Moscow are very little on the spot, as we know from the experience of ambassadors in Moscow from Sir Stafford Cripps to Mr. George Kennan. But Dr. Eliashiv is certainly right in his desire not to injure the Jews in the Communist countries. In this connection I would, as a Zionist, say that two mistakes must be avoided. The first is the statement that all Jews are Zionists. It is not true of the Jews in the West, and obviously not true of the Jews behind the Curtain: we gain nothing by endangering, directly or by possible denunciation, the Jews whom the Communists consider to be "good." Secondly, we desire to get released not only Jews who will go to Israel: it will be best for them to do so; but our desire is that Jews be allowed to go, no matter what they do afterwards. The Jewish Agency must be ready to deal with such as do go to Israel.

S. BRODETSKY.

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PROFESSOR N. BENTWICH

Tribute by A.J.A.

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

From Mr. GERSHON ELLENBOGEN

SIR,—The life of a man as versatile as Norman Bentwich cannot be summarised in a "Silhouette" without some omissions. One of these, however, is of such significance that I feel it ought to be repaired.

Professor Bentwich has for many years played a leading rôle in the foreign affairs work of the Anglo-Jewish Association, both in dealings with the British Foreign Office and in the international sphere. As a Governor of the Consultative Council of Jewish Organisations, and Chairman of the C.C.J.O. Sub-Committee of the A.J.A., he has attended many international conferences on behalf of the A.J.A. and its sister organisations. He has recently become Chairman of the Human Rights Group of the Standing Conference of Non-Governmental Organisations, which meets in this country under the auspices of the United Nations Association.

The Hon. Officers and Foreign Affairs Committee of the A.J.A. welcomed the opportunity last week of giving him a congratulatory dinner in appreciation of the outstanding services he has rendered to the Association.

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PIG-BREEDING IN ISRAEL

Government Legislation Urged

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

SIR,—Some of your correspondents who oppose legislation with regard to the above, do so on the grounds that it would compel people to obey the Torah. Others, like myself, believe that it is not only a question of observing the Torah, but it is also a question whether those claiming to be Jews can condone that which, according to our sages, is an abomination.

Mr. Victor D. Zermansky (in your issue of last week) believes that religion emanating from statute and not from heart and mind, nullifies the value of prayer, not recognising, apparently, that Parliament can stimulate religion, as in Great Britain, or retard its development and even suppress it as in certain Iron Curtain countries. For instance, at the Coronation ceremony the Queen will be proclaimed, among her other titles, as Defender of the Faith. In brief, the Queen, the Throne, the Government, Parliament, are the Defenders of the Faith. Why, then, in the land from which much of the Coronation ceremonial, as well as that of the dominant faith emanated, should its Government be precluded from exercising a similar function to that which prevails in this pleasant land, and defend their faith in every possible way?

Your correspondent should know that in Great Britain, too, there exists a Lord's Day Observance Act, and, indeed, blasphemy is an offence under the Criminal Libel Act of 1819, which is still on the Statute Book.

It is up to the Government of Israel to legislate without delay, for although Swine Laws may not completely abolish swine-breeding, any more than road laws can abolish road hogs, nevertheless the law can cope, at least as effectively, with the former as it does with the latter.

PHILIP SILVESTER.

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St. John's Wood, N.W.8.

W.J.C. AND APPROACH TO GOVERNMENT

Avoiding "Chaotic" Overlapping

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

From Mr. A. G. BROTMAN

SIR,—Mr. J. Halevy, writing as Chairman of the British Section of the World Jewish Congress, seeks in his recent letter to you, to justify the intervention of the World Jewish Congress in the matter of the admission to this country of Jewish refugees—a matter which, without challenge, has hitherto always been dealt with by the Board of Deputies, with the authority of the Anglo-Jewish community which it represents.

I am sure Mr. Halevy, as a member of the Board of Deputies and of its Foreign Affairs Committee, would be among the first to admit that if similar action were taken by other Jewish bodies, "international" or otherwise, the resulting position would be chaotic and one that we should, in the interests of refugees, do everything possible to avoid.

A. G. BROTMAN,
Secretary,
Board of Deputies of British Jews.

Woburn House,
Upper Woburn Place,
London, W.C.1.

PROBLEM OF SMALL CHARITIES

Oldest Society and Harmful Comments

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

SIR,—In your report of the Anglo-Jewish Association Brain's Trust (in your issue of February 20), Mr. Altman is quoted as saying that, among others, this society encourages "schnorrers" and hampers the work of the major charitable organisations.

These comments, if taken seriously, might do untold harm. We therefore feel entitled to be informed on what grounds they were made so that we can correct any wrong impressions held by Mr. Altman and others.

We claim to be the oldest Anglo-Jewish Society still in existence after more than 170 years, and the committee continues to keep the workings of the society abreast of modern times.

In conclusion I would point out that Mr. Altman has never attended a meeting of this society or been connected with it in any way.

GERALD B. JOSEPH,
Vice-President and Hon. Secretary,
Jewish Bread, Meat, and Coal Society.

40, Southbourne Crescent,
London, N.W.4.

I.U.J.F. & B'NAI B'RITH

Student Representation on Executive

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

SIR,—It is to be regretted that your correspondent, Mr. Donald B. Williams, in your columns last week, showed a lack of knowledge and understanding of Jewish student organisation in this country. To suggest that the vast majority of the I.U.J.F. Executive are graduates and, therefore, are "relatively out of touch with the student interests," is drawing a false conclusion from inaccurate facts. Perhaps Mr. Williams would consider the following points.

Of the 14 members of the present I.U.J.F. Executive only seven are graduates. This can hardly be called a "vast majority"! Of these seven, four are now post-graduate students at university or university college, and one is reading at the Bar.

The possession of a university degree does not automatically mean a loss of contact with student thought and ideas. The Federation makes special provision for graduate membership. Item 3 (i) of our Constitution states: "There shall be corporate members, associate members, graduate members, and honorary members of the Federation." It is a fact that every member of the executive is a member of a constituent student society and thereby maintains contact with the "ordinary student."

As I now well know, membership of the I.U.J.F. Executive absorbs a great amount of time, and in many cases it is only graduates who can afford this.

The executive of the Federation is elected annually by conference, which is attended by elected delegates from all Jewish student societies in the country. Conference has the right to elect any member of the Federation to any position on the executive. In order to prevent the very situation which Mr. Williams mistakenly believes to exist within the Federation the following item, 6 (viii), is part of our constitution: "No member of the executive shall serve for more than three years."

OSKAR DWORETZKI,
Vice-Chairman, I.U.J.F.

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Liverpool, 7.

WEST LONDON ASSISTANT MINISTER

The Rev. André Ungar has been appointed an assistant minister of the West London Synagogue. Mr. Ungar, who was born in Budapest, came to England in 1947 and in the following year entered Jews' College. In 1951 he graduated at the University of London with B.A.(Hons.). Since 1952 he has been studying under Rabbi Dr. Leo Baeck and Dr. A. Lowenstamm.

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"DISTORTED HISTORY"

Jews' Rôle in Middle East War

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

SIR,—Your reviewer, Dr. J. B. Segal (in your issue of February 20), has shown what happens to "history" when subjected to such eccentricities as those produced by Mr. George Kirk. The drafting of a reasonably objective appraisal of the rôle of the Jewish national movement in the Middle East during the years 1939-46 is, for this Chatham House cherub, a discipline for which apparently he has had no time.

It is understood from a press statement by Professor Toynbee (Mr. Kirk's mentor) that to meet a number of criticisms an amended version of the book is being produced. To help things along, the following facts are submitted in the hope that their unimpeachable authenticity, as well as their relevance, will warrant their inclusion in a volume at present impossible to applaud for either attribute.

Extract from the Bulletin of British Information Services to the United States, an agency of the British Government, March, 1944:

"The Jews of Palestine are playing a fighting and invaluable part in the war. They are serving in armed military and police formations, the great proportion in special Jewish units. The contribution that they are making to the supply position through the remarkable achievements of Jewish industry and agriculture in Palestine has been of a critical character to the Middle East Military command. . . . (p. 6).

"The limit on the number of Jews who can be recruited into the fighting services is set not by any prohibition on volunteering, but by the shortage of manpower. Jewish agriculture and industry in Palestine, vital to the war effort, inevitably absorb a very high proportion of the men and women available. . . . (p. 8).

"The full mobilisation of Palestine Jewry for the war, the special contributions that their skill and devotion have made possible, and their bravery in the fighting forces are the natural answer that a proud people makes to the enemy of civilisation. . . ." (p. 9).

Extract from Report of the Anglo-American Committee of Enquiry regarding the problems of European Jewry and Palestine, 1946:

". . . Palestine became an important source of supply of manufactured goods not only for military purposes throughout the area, but for civilian needs in surrounding countries. The skill and inventiveness of the Jewish immigrants of pre-war years proved an invaluable asset, and the directed effort was supported by the Jewish Agency and other established organs of Jewish settlement. . . ."

DAVID CARRINGTON.
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London, E.5.

N.U.H.T. AND LONDON BOARD

Teachers to Serve on Education Committee

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

SIR,—Further to my letter in your issue of February 13, I have pleasure in stating that the National Union of Hebrew Teachers has now received an invitation from the Education Committee of the London Board to send a representative to serve on that committee.

I am certain that the gratification felt by my colleagues and myself will be shared by your readers, many of whom have been in touch with us to express their disquiet at my original letter.

May I say how fully the N.U.H.T. appreciates and endorses the wise words on co-operation spoken by the London Board Chairman at the Board's annual prize-giving last week. We can, indeed (as he said), work in harmony, and it is the Union's earnest desire, now as always, to go forward in a spirit of cordial partnership, so that Jewish education may reap the benefit of our joint endeavours.

A. FELTON,
Hon. General Secretary, N.U.H.T.
28, East Bank,
London, N.16.

HOW MANY "SHLISHIS" WORTH A "SHISHI"?

London Synagogue's Example

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

SIR,—I have read with great interest A. Cardinal's letter (in your last week's issue) in which he states there ought to be a Faculty of Wardenship, in particular to those acting as a Gabbai.

As far as the United Synagogue is concerned, I find it is laid down in their by-laws of the Constituent Synagogues, page 15, section D4, paragraph A, thus: The rights of its members: To officiate as *Segan* on the occasion of the bar-mitzvah of any of his sons and on the Sabbath prior to the marriage of any of his children.

Happily, I am a member of the East London Synagogue, one of the oldest of the constituent synagogues of the United Synagogue, where our Wardens or Gabbaim or Parnassim, as described in the provinces, are ever ready, not only to comply with this ruling but willingly to allow members, who have a yahrzeit, etc., to occupy that high and dignified honour of *Segan*, thereby those interested in synagogal affairs and its work have a good training. I have never yet seen anyone make a failure of this.

I am also happy to state that I have had this special honour given to me very many times in the past, and found no difficulty in carrying it out, especially with my old friend the Shammas around.

LEONARD N. SHERER.
321, Cheetham Hill Road,
Manchester, 8.

Wardens Defended

SIR,—As one of the cynical *Poretz* wardens directly affected by the strictures of your correspondent, A. Cardinal, may I enter a plea in defence of my admirable colleagues.

At the outset may I declare on behalf of everyone of us that we would welcome any sort of examination, so long as the results would not interfere with the annual elections.

The reason why all of our congregations are at sea is not because we are unqualified, but in spite of it.

Your correspondent rightly appeals to the law, but the law in its turn appeals to precedent, and precedent knows nothing about wardens, even though wardens know a great deal about presidents.

There is no mention in the Bible of the wardens' box, a singular and unfortunate omission, you may think. Of course, it may have been included in the original estimates for the Tabernacle, but why could not Bezalel persuade Moses to keep it in? An economy measure, perhaps? The better view is that there were no wardens to sit in it, as wardens had not been invented then.

For the origin of the institution is not, as it is popularly supposed, shrouded in the mists of antiquity, but is lost in a fog of modernity. The office was not created; like Topsy, it just grew.

Nobody ever questions the navigational qualities of a Swiss admiral or the military prowess of a bus general. Why, then, should your correspondent seek to calumniate or cast aspersions upon the wardens for holding, uncertificated, an office which has no tangible religious or even social significance, save in the imagination of its incumbents and aspiring beholders thereto?

Somebody has got to keep the service going while the congregation is talking. One can hardly expect the clergy to leave their places. The Shammas is too busy, so why shouldn't we?

S. STOUTZKER.
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Temple, E.C.4.

Points from Letters

TALKS IN MODERN HEBREW

The attention of your readers in North London is drawn to the existence of the Chug Ivri of the North London Hapoel Hamizrachi. Its object is to enable those with a slight knowledge of Modern Hebrew and who are unable or unwilling to attend classes or lessons, to hear simple talks in Modern Hebrew and to endeavour to take part in discussions and questions. Few need fear the inadequacy of their knowledge of Hebrew, as it is surprising how much a good elementary Jewish education, even of the traditional form, helps. We invite everyone interested to attend. Full particulars can be obtained from the General Secretary, Hapoel Hamizrachi, 29, Newman Street, London, W.1 (phone Langham 2330).—N. A. COHEN, Chairman, North London Hapoel Hamizrachi.

TRACING RECORDS OF I.U.J.F.

The I.U.J.F. executive are anxious to trace the past records of the Federation in order to build up its archives. Over the last 33 years past-executive members have often retained in their own possession back papers and correspondence. I would be obliged if I could request those of your readers who are in possession of such papers to get into touch with me, and to let me know if they are willing to entrust these papers to me for preservation in the Federation's archives. The generation which originally created the Federation is now largely out of touch with the present generation and we are afraid of losing knowledge of our own history.—AUBREY N. NEWMAN, Vice-Chairman, I.U.J.F., Wadham College, Oxford.

Y.P.C. NEED ACCOMMODATION

The work of the North and East Branch of the Y.P.C. (Young People's Committee of the Jewish National Fund) is being handicapped by the lack of accommodation for meetings and lectures. Should there be any of your readers in our areas who would be willing to let us have a room in their house for occasional meetings—attendances generally being between 20 and 30, our committee would be exceedingly grateful. We welcome new members and workers for Israel. We are not a youth group in the accepted sense, and membership ages are approximately from 20 to 40.—H. WARSON (Chairman), 32, Gunton Road, E.5.

CHAZANIM CHOIR VACANCIES

The Chazanim Choir has vacancies for basses and baritones. Would those interested in the musical activities of the Association of Ministers (Chazanim) kindly write or telephone me (Edgware 3020) for details.—(Rev.) J. N. FAGAN, Hon. Secretary, 66, Mowbray Road, Edgware.

TYPEWRITER WANTED

The attention of your readers is drawn to the pressing need of a typewriter for the Principal of the Hillel College in Sefrou, French Morocco. Rabbi B. Pels, the Principal, is seriously handicapped by the lack of a typewriter, as his work necessitates a great deal of writing. We feel that money collected for the School must not be used for such a purchase, and should be most grateful if any of your readers could spare a machine which would be sent to Beth Hillel with the kind help of the American Joint Distribution Committee.—(Dayan) HARRIS M. LAZARUS, Chairman, British Aid Committee, 33, Cholmley Gardens, London, N.W.6.

HENDON ORPHAN AID SOCIETY

I have for some time past been trying to enlist additional support for the work being done by the Hendon and Golders Green Orphan Aid Society, but with very indifferent success. I therefore appeal to residents in the Borough of Hendon to join our committee and help us in our efforts on behalf of this most important of our home charities—the Jewish Orphanage. If any lady or gentleman is interested, will they please write to me.—MAURICE JOSEPHS, Chairman, 8, Farm Court, Hendon, N.W.4.

DIASPORA WILL ALWAYS EXIST

Dr. George Webber's View

By a JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporter*

There would always be a Diaspora, and its contribution to world civilisation would always be no less important than that of the Jewish State, declared Dr. George Webber, at a symposium on "The Jewish State and World Jewry," held at the Finchley Synagogue, Kinloss Gardens, N.3, on Tuesday.

History, said Dr. Webber, had already proved false the view expressed by Arthur Koestler that world Jewry had a choice between assimilation and the return to Israel.

Dealing with the question of Sefardi pronunciation in Ashkenazi synagogues, Dr. N. Wieder, Lecturer in Liturgy, Jews' College, said that the Chief Rabbi's ruling had been misunderstood. It could be interpreted as an appeal to individual Hebraists to make Sefardi pronunciation sufficiently widespread to justify the Chief Rabbi's sanction for its general use in Ashkenazi institutions.

Speaking on "The Survival of Judaism as a Universal Religious Civilisation," Rabbi Dr. S. Wiesenberg, Lecturer in Hebrew, University College, London, said that Jews ought to be more concerned over the survival of the next generation than the ultimate survival of Judaism in the distant future.

Mr. S. S. Levin presided.

CAREERS ADVICE

Youth Leadership (2)

Preparation for full-time service as a youth leader may be made by studying for a University Social Science Certificate or Diploma, or for a one-year Youth Leadership course, which is for those from the age of 23 with some suitable experience. Universities usually require evidence of passing the General Certificate of Education examination as entrance to these courses. In case of need, grants can be obtained.

The National Association of Girls' and Mixed Clubs, like other national youth organisations, provide professional youth leadership training. Their course includes a Social Science Certificate, and, in addition, six months' full-time practical training to enable the students to gain experience.

It is recommended that potential students should study for the Social Science Certificate or Diploma, which enables holders, with further specialised training, to engage in many branches of social work, including the Youth Employment and Probation Services, Approved Schools, and various forms of children's welfare work.

Full information can be obtained from the Training Secretary, National Association of Girls' and Mixed Clubs, 30-32, Devonshire Street, W.1.

[CONCLUDED]

AN affiliation certificate was presented recently to the Ilford Federation Synagogue by Mr. Janus Cohen, Chairman of the Zionist Federation. Rabbi Dr. J. Litvin also spoke. Mr. S. Synett presided.

TRAVEL NOTES

By "Green Flag"

A reader who has booked a passage on the cruise of the Orient liner Oronsay, which is scheduled to leave London on June 13 for a 13-day Mediterranean cruise, asks me to give him a list of places of Jewish interest at the various ports of call. So far as I am aware, there is no synagogue at Palma, Majorca, but there are small but very active Jewish centres at Barcelona, Genoa, and Lisbon. Incidentally, the Oronsay will be at Genoa on Friday, June 19, giving her Jewish passengers the opportunity to attend Sabbath eve service at the lovely synagogue there. There are still a few first-class berths vacant on this cruise. The rates are from £65 upwards.

A fortnight ago I sounded my readers on behalf of the owner of a hotel in the Isle of Wight who was prepared to consider converting it into a strictly kasher establishment, under the supervision of the Kashrus Commission, if a substantial demand existed. I have had a most encouraging response from all over the country. While thanking the large number of correspondents for their suggestions, I am particularly appreciative of the constructive comments of Rabbi Dr. A. E. Silverstone, of Southport.

Mr. Albert Watrin, the new chief of the London headquarters of Belgium's national airline, Sabena, has been telling me of the wonderful work his company's helicopters did, in company with British and American counterparts, during the recent floods in Holland. He also mentioned that Sabena is going to run a holiday service to Luxembourg from London *via* Brussels at the extremely low return fare of £16 13s.

Philippine Air Lines

One of the advantages of the Philippine Air Lines route to Israel *via* Madrid and Rome is that it gives an opportunity to break the journey at Madrid, where there is a synagogue and a considerable Jewish student group. P.A.L. use only Douglas luxury aircraft, with skilled and experienced crews. Kasher food is supplied on request. The company performs a great service in that it links Israel with India and Manilla. The remarkable progress of the Line is referred to in an article in a recent issue of AERONAUTICS, which can be had free on request from Philippine Air Lines, 20, Pall Mall, S.W.1.

Mr. Godel Heilpern, of Manchester, writes in praise of a kasher restaurant in Vienna, situated at Weihburggasse 10-12. He says that it will satisfy the most Orthodox, and charges moderate prices. He adds that it supplies kasher food to El Al and British European Airways.

The Federation of Zionist Youth writes: "Each year we face great difficulties in finding a suitable place, namely one which affords us moderate accommodation, a hall for lectures, playing fields or open spaces, and, most important, facilities for providing kasher meals. Is there likely to be available a Jewish school, usually closed during this period, or any other suitable place?"

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HOME SECTION

IDEAL HOMES

AS might have been expected, this year's Ideal Home Exhibition, the thirtieth organised by the DAILY MAIL at Olympia, London, and opened to the public on Tuesday (until March 28), has as its central theme the forthcoming Coronation.

Illuminated on a viewing platform in order that all may see it, and approached along a highway of red carpet 300 feet long and 12 feet wide, stands the central feature of that central theme—the Coronation Cavalcade. It is the work of several sculptors and artists, who have reproduced a lifelike and beautifully colourful replica of the Coronation procession, complete with the golden State Coach, the eight grey horses, the postillions, footmen, the Yeomen of the Guard, and the Royal Escort in all their splendour.

In a country in which Royalty and the family are so closely associated, the combination of the two comes naturally to the fore in an exhibition devoted to the Ideal Home. It is no exaggeration to say that the organisers, designers, artists, and 600 exhibitors show over the 12 acres of the Exhibition all those material things that could make a home ideal.

The People's House

First, there are the houses themselves—the People's House 1953, presented by the Ministry of Housing and Local Government, complete with furniture and fittings, which would delight all who could obtain it, and fill with envy all those who cannot. Then there are the small family houses, for which licences are now automatically granted, all in the middle of an Ideal Village that has all amenities, even a realistic inn, to which the only drawback is a sign indicating that no alcohol may be consumed inside or outside the premises.

The housewife will also find a wealth of new labour-saving devices, kitchen appliances, furniture, laundry equipment, and a display of all the uses for nylon (it is stated that there are 200 of them). S.F

MR. B. S. MALEK, the Chief Statistician of the Ministry of Social Welfare in Israel, has been elected to the Fellowship of the Royal Statistical Society, London.

Jewish Cookery

PASSOVER FARE

Matzo Kleis (1)

SOAK 2 matzot in cold water till soft, then drain and squeeze dry; put in a basin and beat up with a fork. Fry 2 tablespoonfuls of finely chopped onion in 2 tablespoonfuls of fat till lightly browned; then add, together with the fat, to the matzot. Season with salt, pepper, and ginger; add 2 well-beaten eggs and sufficient fine meal to bind the mixture. Roll into tiny balls, coat with meal, and leave at least an hour before cooking. Drop into fast-boiling soup or stew and after a couple of minutes reduce the heat and simmer for 20 minutes.

Note. These can also be served coated with fried onions. Roll the balls somewhat larger than for soup; drop into fast-boiling salted water, lower the heat after 2 or 3 minutes, and cook slowly for 20 minutes. Slice onions thinly and fry in chicken fat or dripping till golden brown.

Matzo Kleis (2) (Kneidlech)

POUR a breakfastcupful of boiling water over the same quantity of medium matzo meal; stir till well blended, then add 2 tablespoonfuls of melted fat, a lightly beaten egg, salt pepper, and ginger to taste. Mix thoroughly and leave till cold. Then with wet hands roll into tiny balls. Drop into boiling soup, cover, and cook slowly 15-20 minutes.

Matzo Meal Noodles

BEAT up 2 eggs with ¼ teaspoonful of salt, add 2 tablespoonfuls of fine meal, and 2 tablespoonfuls of water, and mix lightly. Melt a little fat in a frying pan and pour in sufficient of the mixture to cover the bottom of the pan. When cooked on one side, turn and cook the other. Roll up each pancake and cut across into "noodles," a quarter of an inch wide. Drop into boiling soup and cook for 2 or 3 minutes.

Potato Pancakes

GRATE some peeled raw potatoes and drain. To each pint add a tablespoonful of grated onion and a lightly beaten egg and sufficient fine matzo meal to form a batter. Season with salt and pepper. Fry the mixture in spoonfuls in hot, shallow fat, turning when brown on one side.

Baked Potato Pudding. Add 2 or 3 tablespoonfuls melted fat to the mixture, turn into a greased baking dish and bake in a moderate oven about 1 hour.

AT the annual conference of the Mizrachi Women's Organisation of Great Britain and Ireland held in London, last week, Mrs. Isaac Wolfson was re-elected President.

Sports and Clubs

HACKNEY CLUBS' PROGRESS

May Close Through Lack of Funds

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

The President of the Hackney Associated Clubs, Mr. H. B. Roland, said, at the annual display and prize-giving last week, that the progress made by the clubs in the past year had been the most notable in their history—there had been a large increase in membership, and a Parents' Association and Mothers' Club had been formed. But, said Mr. Roland, the clubs' finances were in a very bad state, and unless more funds were forthcoming they would have to close down.

The display, which was given at the Dalston County Secondary School, Shacklewell Lane, E., included demonstrations of football, boxing, badminton, and girls' and boys' P.T. J. D. Kelly's "Queer Street," and a scene from "Twelfth Night" were presented.

The speakers included Mr. David Miller, who was the guest of honour, the Deputy Mayor of Hackney (Cllr. G. Beckers), Mr. I. Monk, Mr. J. Mann, who presented a cheque for 50 guineas, on behalf of the Parents' Association, and Mrs. R. Goldstein, who presented a cheque for 15 guineas, on behalf of the Mothers' Club.

JEWISH CAR CLUB IN LIVERPOOL

A car club has been formed in Liverpool, under the title of the Liverpool Jewish Car Club. The officers are: Dr. B. J. Maxwell, Chairman; Mr. J. H. Mandelson, Treasurer; and Mr. David Baker ("Three Ways," Firshaw Road, Meols, Cheshire), Secretary. Negotiations with the R.A.C. for recognition are progressing. A beginners' rally is to be held, on Sunday, March 29.

At a recent meeting of the Crescent Jewish Youth Club the following were elected: the Rev. A. S. Chaitowitz, Hon. President; Mr. S. Lassman, Chairman; Mr. P. Gershon, Vice-Chairman; and Miss L. J. Ansell, Treasurer. The club meets every Tuesday evening at the Simon Diamond Hall of the Finsbury Park Synagogue, Princess Crescent, N.4. Further information can be obtained from the Hon. Secretary, Miss H. Schiffman, 54, Riverside Road, N.15.

Flamingo F.C. beat South-West Essex J.Y.C. by 1-0 in a friendly match at Hackney Marshes last Sunday.

MACCABI IN SOUTH LONDON

Branch Formed at Brixton Synagogue

At a meeting, held at the Memorial Hall, Brixton, it was decided to disband the South London Area Maccabi and re-form it as the Brixton Synagogue Maccabi Association, under the auspices of the Synagogue Youth Committee.

Those present at the meeting were Rabbi Meyer Steinberg (Chairman, Brixton Synagogue Youth Committee), the Rev. Reuben Turner (President, South London Area Maccabi), Mr. S. Clyne (Financial Representative of the Synagogue), Mr. A. Morley (National Organiser, Maccabi Union), Mr. M. Richardson (Welfare Officer, United Synagogue), and Mr. A. Lazarus (Chairman, South London Area Maccabi), who presided.

Planned activities include a music circle, and sections devoted to domestic science, kasher cooking, dramatics, literature, art, photography, and sports.

MACCABIAH TRAINING

Forty-five athletes—38 men and seven women—took part in a training course for the Maccabiah, which was organised last week at Skeet Hill House, near Orpington, Kent.

The following honorary A.A.A. coaches gave their assistance: Messrs. A. A. Gold, P. G. Mayer, and A. A. Lawrence.

Another training course is to be held on Sunday, May 3, at the Maccabi Stadium, Hendon.

NOMADS

At the seventh annual meeting of the Nomads Club, held recently, a great improvement in the financial position of the club and an increase of 100 per cent in the membership were reported. The following officers were elected: Messrs John Soloman, President; David Phillips, Chairman; John Davies, Vice-Chairman; Miss Hilda Don, Treasurer; and Mrs. Freda Frank (37, Lincoln Court, London Road, Enfield, Middlesex), Secretary.

The club meets every Thursday evening at 7.45 at the Cranbourne, Great Newport Street, W.C.2.

It was reported at the recent annual meeting of the Harmony Club (which meets at the Marcus Samuel Hall, Egerton Road, N.) that over £300 had been given to charities out of the club's funds. The following were elected: Messrs. D. Shap and M. Cedar, Co-Chairmen; A. Lamb, Vice-Chairman; L. Russell, Treasurer; and P. Weinberg, Secretary.

BASKETBALL FINALS IN BROOKLYN

200 U.S.A. and Canadian Jewish Teams

The National Jewish Community Centre Basketball Championship was won last week by the Rego Park (New York) Jewish Centre, who defeated Bensonhurst (N.Y.) in the final, 99-97, writes our New York correspondent.

Nearly 200 Jewish clubs in America and Canada competed in the tournament. The final was held in Brooklyn.

RELIGIOUS SEMINAR FOR CLUB LEADERS

More than 30 club leaders and managers attended a Religious Advisory Committee Seminar on "Jewish Philosophy," last week, at Leigh House, Bracklesham Bay. The Rev. Alan Miller, C.F., gave addresses on "Pharisaism" and "The Work of Saadya and Maimonides," and Mr. Andre Ungar spoke on "The Rise and Influence of Chassidism." Services were conducted by Mr. M. Richardson and Mr. H. Shaw.

LESLIE LUCK CUP

In the Southern Area finals of the Leslie Luck Football Cup, to be played on Sunday at the Maccabi Stadium, London, Brighton and Hove Maccabi will meet Ivri Maccabi. In the third round of the Northern Area Manchester defeated Birmingham 11-2. Manchester will meet Glasgow in the final on April 12.

A.J.Y. football matches played on Sunday resulted as follows: Senior Div. Cup Quarter-Finals, Old Victorians 3, Oxford "A" 2; Bethnal Green 1, N. Middx. 0. Over 18, Div. II, Stepney 1, Clapton 8. Under-18 Cup Semi-Finals, Stamford Hill 4, Primrose 0; Golders Green 3, Hackney 2. Under-16 Cup Semi-Finals, Clapton 0, Hackney 1. Under-18 League, Div. II, Brady 2, Oxford 4. Under-16 League, Div. I, Brady 3, Oxford "A" 3. Under-16, Div. II, West Central 3, Oxford "B" 2.

In Div. II of the Hendon and District (Sunday) League, last week, Mowbray beat the R.A.F.A. 5-2.

The Galaxy Club, which meets at 75, Cazenove Road, N.16, recently formed a sports committee, with the following officers: Messrs. Vivian Lipman, Chairman; Charles Bloom, Vice-Chairman; Lionel Broder, Treasurer; and Jack Ward, Hon. Secretary. Clubs interested in playing the table tennis, cricket, or lawn tennis sections are asked to communicate with Mr. V. Lipman at 9[illegible] Geldeston Road, Upper Clapton, E.5.

Houses, etc. continued from page 4

PHILIP FISHER & CO.
116, Station Road, Edgware (EDGware 5536/7)
EDGWARE (off beautiful Canons Drive). Lovely res: 4 bedrms; 2 receps; lnge hall; kit; mrng-rm; bathrm; dnstrs clkrm; brk gge; wonderful order; price, incl magnif drapes, carpets, and fittings, £6,000, freehold.

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SOUTHGATE. Very attr. mod, s-d, "hallsdale" res in sought-after posn, 1 min of Chase Side & buses, 6 mins walk tube & shops; lge rms; excllnt condtn; 3 dble bedrms; 2 lge receps; parquet lnge hall; dnstrs clkrm (wash-basin, h & c, & w.c); vers spac, tld kit (boiler, cabinets); lux, tld bathrm; sep w.c; lge, laid-out garden; attached brick garage; sep drive-in; price, freehold, £4,150, or offer.
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GREENWOOD & CO. (HEN. 7888/9)
52, Vivian Avenue, Hendon, N.W.4
DOBREE AVENUE, N.W.10. Det, ult-mod; 4 bedrms; 2 lge receps, lnge hall; mrng-rm; kit; luxury bathrm; brick gge; c h throughout; excllnt condtn; £5,750.
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HAMPSTEAD GDN SUBURB. 4 bedrms (3 dble), intercom receps; hall clkrm; garage; £4,950.
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EDGWARE. Genuine bargain. Broadfields, mod, s-d, perfect condtn; 3 bedrms; 2 intercom receps; fitted kit; bathrm; sep w.c; gge; fhld, £2,250.
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LESLIE LEIGH & CO.
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(Phone: WIL. 6461/2/3)
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YOUNG ISRAEL

J.C. CHILDREN'S SECTION

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The Jealous Mountains

By "AUNTIE"

IN this week's Sidra we read that Moses remained for forty days on Mount Sinai while God explained the Torah to him so that he might teach the children of Israel. There is a lovely legend which tells that, after the Lord had given the Torah to Israel from Mount Sinai, all the other mountains appeared before Him and complained: "Why didst Thou choose the holy Law to be given from Mount Sinai in preference to any other mountain?" God answered them and said: "Set yourselves in an orderly row, and let Me hear from each of you in turn what your qualification is for the holy task."

The mountains, after quarrelling over which should speak first, at last arranged themselves in order, and Mount Tabor spoke up, asking: "Why was the Holy Law not given from my slopes? See my rounded peak. Am I not lovelier than all the mountains in the world, and do you not remember that even the waters of the Flood did not cover me as I am so tall and mighty?"

The Lord answered, "You are, indeed, most beautiful, but I could not give you the honour, because on your slopes idolators have worshipped."

Then Mount Gilboa came forward and made his plea, and he was answered thus: "Because I know that Saul, the first of the Kings of Israel, will perish on your slopes, the Law could not be given from your summit."

Mount Carmel also pleaded and was given an answer. Finally came a lowly hill and God said: "Tell me your name." The reply was: "Hermon. Truly I think that it would have been fitting that the Law should have come from me, because at my feet flow the fountains of the river Jordan which are Your special delight."

But God said: "Perhaps you should have been chosen, but as you were not, I will bestow on you another gift. I shall make you loftier than all the mountains of the land and upon your highest points snow shall rest eternally." And that is why Mount Hermon is the highest mountain in Israel and is called, "Snow-capped Hermon."

Elijah on Mount Carmel

Addressing all the mountains, God said: "I chose Mount Sinai for the Shechina to rest on—and Sinai has remained humble. From Mount Tabor I will give help to Israel in the days of Deborah, the Prophetess. From Mount Carmel I will give aid to Elijah." And you will find—in the First Book of Kings—that Mount Carmel (which had esteemed itself the proper place for that great event, the giving of the Law) was the place where many miracles were performed.

This story is perhaps as dramatic as any in the Bible: the preparations, the gathering of the people, both Israelites and heathens, to watch the revelation on Mount Carmel. Note the unhurried way in which Elijah speaks, how he taunts the people with biting sarcasm. "Cry aloud; for he is a god . . . peradventure he sleepeth and must be awaked." Elijah is as meek and modest as Moses, and he prays not for himself but says: "O Lord, the God of Abraham, of Isaac and of Israel, let it be known this day that Thou art God in Israel, and that I am Thy servant and that I have done all these things at Thy word. Hear me, O Lord, hear me, that this people may know that Thou, Lord, art God."

When the fire descended from heaven the people once again turned to worship God and said, as if with one voice: "The Lord, He is God, the Lord, He is God."

NOTICE.—All communications in connection with "Young Israel" must be addressed to "Auntie." THE JEWISH CHRONICLE, 32, *Furnival Street, London, E.C.4.*

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AUNTIE REPLIES

A hearty welcome is given to Vivien Bruce (Hove), Jacqueline J. Davidson (Ilford), Margaret J. R. Feller (Edgware), Sheila Glass (Salford), Carole Hart (Romford), Jennifer Joseph (Glasgow), Gillian Lane (Westcliff), Henry H. Liberman (Hendon), Malvin and Robert Muller (Winchmore Hill), David I. Myers (Dublin), and Philip A. Wander (Manchester).

MRS. H. BALABAN, Manchester.—Your kind thought and donation are greatly appreciated.

VIVIEN BRUCE, Hove.—I was pleased to have your nice little letter, and hope to hear from the boys later. Let me know if your request is answered.

ROSE COHEN, Ealing.—Thank you very much for the gift sent in memory of your dear grandfather.

JACQUELINE DAVIDSON, Ilford.—The notepaper is very dainty and unusual.

MARGARET J. R. FELLER, Edgware.—I am glad that it is not "the least bit boring." I like your handwriting.

L. FISH, Marylebone.—Please accept my grateful thanks for your memorial gift.

JENNIFER S. GOLDBERG, Birmingham.—It was good of you to send your pocket-money in memory of loved relatives.

MARILYN GOODMAN, Cheltenham.—What has caused the unrest? Thank you so much for your help. I hope that you will soon have a pen-friend.

JENNIFER JOSEPH, Glasgow.—You write very well. I trust that you will keep your position this term, and hear from a cousin.

ELEANOR KLYNE, Southport.—Perhaps Sylvia will send the missing address and the pen-friendship can be continued.

"KSAR."—Your generous contribution was very welcome.

DAVID LICHTENSTERN, Maida Vale.—Many thanks to you and those who helped with your collection for Jewish Child's Day.

MALVIN and ROBERT MULLER, Winchmore Hill.—I am very grateful to you both for your generous gifts to the Blind Society.

MR. and MRS. MYERS, South Tottenham.—Your memorial contributions are truly appreciated.

DAVID I. MYERS, Dublin.—Thank you for letting me know that you find our supplement very interesting, and have written to members requiring pen-chums.

ANITA PASTER, Manchester.—I suppose you wrote direct to Leila. Has she answered you?

SYLVIA ROSENSTEIN, Blackburn.—It was good of you to send me some of the contents of your money-box. You certainly had a lovely surprise. Are you keeping all of them. I am glad that you like the certificate.

DAVID RUDD, Northampton.—I have reinserted your request, and hope you will hear from a cousin.

FRANKLIN G. SYTNER, Liverpool.—I send my best thanks to you and Aunty Bessie for the letter and gift. I want to see some of your holiday work and to hear about your school.

DAVID WEITZMAN, Hove.—It was truly a pleasure to hear from you again and to know that I am not forgotten. I hope the hard work will reap a good harvest. Your help is very welcome and so are wishes.

ABIGAIL WUGMANN, Cricklewood.—Many happy returns. I was glad to have your letter and to learn that you are going soon to see your relatives in Israel. What is the name of the cat? Now you will have two significant certificates.

RUTH YOUNGMAN, Cardiff.—Thank you for telling me that you think the certificate is beautifully illustrated and found the answers to questions from members very interesting. I wish my family would write to me more frequently about their difficulties.

THE NEW COMPETITION

Seniors

Prizes will be awarded for a drawing of anything connected with Purim or Passover.

Juniors (Under 13)

Prizes will be awarded for the neatest correct solutions of the following jumbles, which relate to Jewish worship or customs (with a brief description of each): 1, Daaghah; 2, Zumheza; 3, Raesd; 4, Shiddak; 5, Vulla; 6, Lifnilet; 7, Roget; 8, Chasuc; 9, Davhalha; 10, Litlat; 11, Havis; 12, Shudkid.

Rules

1, Entrants must be members of the League, juniors under 13 years of age; 2, Entries must bear the *name, age,* and *address* of the competitor; and 3, must be sent before March 17.

PLEASE WRITE . . .

Samuel Jeffrey Abrahams, 23, Castle Hill Road, Prestwich, Manchester, aged about 13, living in France or Israel, chief hobbies: any kind of sport and stamp collecting.

Correspondents are wanted by:

Max Corrick, 22, Brighton Gardens, Gateshead on Tyne, 8, boys 11 or 12, living in Great Britain, keen on art, cycling, sport, and woodwork.

Valerie Gould, 31, Jeymer Avenue, Dollis Hill, N.W.2, girls aged 7 or 8 interested in ballet and tap-dancing.

Valerie Hanyman, 22, Staplehurst House, Clarence Road, Clapton, E.5, seniors living in England, chief hobby: dancing.

Annette Liss, 20, Manor House Drive, Brondesbury Park, N.W.6, aged 13, living in France, preferably in the South, keen on books, French, and skating.

Rosalind Ludwin, 1, Carisbrooke Road, Luton, Bedfordshire, Americans aged 8 or 9, keen on animals, books, and knitting.

Maureen Rose, 104, Cambridge Heath Road, Stepney, E.1, seniors living in France, special interest, foreign languages.

GIFTS TO FUNDS

OLD PEOPLE'S COMFORT FUND

The League is trying to collect £30 to provide extra fruit, sweets, and tobacco for the old folk in the Home for Aged Jews. Will everyone who appreciates these comforts send a donation.

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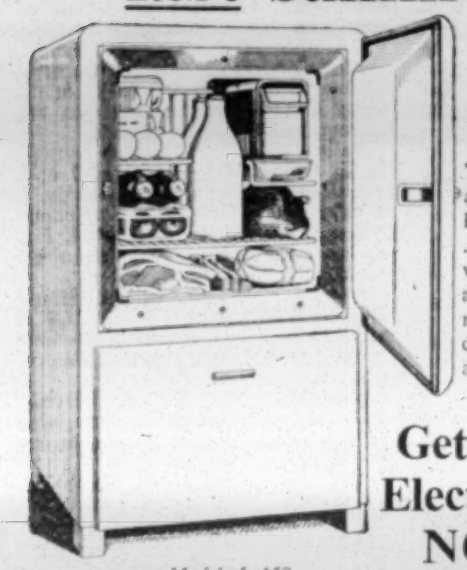

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Obituary

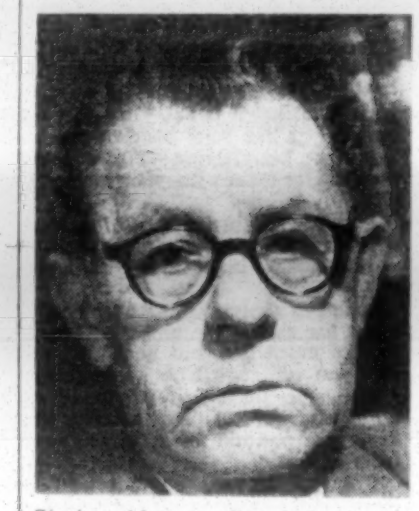
PROFESSOR E. L. SUKENIK

Discoverer of Dead Sea Scrolls

Dr. Eliezer L. Sukenik, Professor of Achæology at the Hebrew University and discoverer of the Dead Sea Scrolls, died in Jerusalem last Sabbath, at the age of 64.

Throughout the day a large gathering, including members of the University staff, Cabinet Ministers, and other distinguished citizens filed past the coffin. The funeral took place on Sunday. A memorial service was held on Mount Scopus.

Eliezer Lipa Sukenik was born in Bialystok, the son of a tinsmith and keen



Zionist. After attending cheder, he was sent at the age of 13 to the Yeshiva at Lomza and later at Slobodka. He was drawn into Zionist politics as a youth and became one of the founders of the Poale Zion. He attended the Party's first conference in Cracow and was elected one of the six Russian Poale Zion delegates to the Eighth Zionist Congress at The Hague in 1907, but he was considered too young to be accredited.

Leaving Russia in 1911 for Berlin, Sukenik entered the *Landwirtschafliche Hochschule*. But his innate restlessness drove him to leave shortly afterwards in search of a career in Palestine. He took up the profession of teacher, first in Haifa and then in Jerusalem, where he began to show interest in Palestinology.

In the Royal Fusiliers

When the British occupied Palestine, Sukenik became a fiery recruiting agent for the Jewish battalions and himself joined the 40th (Palestinian) Battalion of the Royal Fusiliers. Following the armistice he became Secretary of the new Department of Education of the Palestine Zionist Executive, but resigned to become an elementary school teacher once more. Besides teaching, however, he helped in the production of a Hebrew guide to Palestine. His researches for this work took him to the library of the Dominican *Ecole Biblique et Archéologique* in Jerusalem. There, Père Vincent, impressed by the young enthusiast, persuaded Ben Yehuda to grant him £25 to enable Sukenik to go to Berlin to get his university degree. He studied classical archæology and semitic philology, and returned in 1922 to Palestine to collect material for his dissertation. A part-time post was obtained at the American School of Oriental Research in Jerusalem and it was then that he did his work on the Third Wall of Jerusalem that brought him to the notice of Professor Margolis, of Philadelphia, who secured for him a Fellowship in Biblical Archæology at Dropsie College. Here, at last, he managed to secure his doctorate—in 1926.

That year he returned to Palestine and began his real career as Field Archæologist to the Hebrew University's Institute of Jewish Studies. In 1935 he became University Lecturer in Palestinian Archæology; in 1937 Director of the Museum of Jewish Antiquities on Mount Scopus (now in Arab hands) and, in 1938, Professor of Palestinian Archæology.

In 1947 Dr. Sukenik bought the famous Scrolls that had been found in caves near the Dead Sea by Beduin and which consisted of fragments of Genesis, Leviticus, Deuteronomy, Judges, Daniel, and Isaiah, dating back some two thousand years. He travelled widely to give lectures on his discovery.

He published many books including "The Ancient Synagogues of Beth Alpha" (1932), "Ancient Synagogues in Palestine and Greece" (1934), "The Synagogue of Dura Europos and its Mural Paintings" (1946), and "The Earliest Records of Christianity" (1947).

Professor Sukenik is survived by his wife and sons, Yigal Yadin, former Chief of Staff of the Israeli Forces (who is now engaged in archæological studies in England), and Joseph Yadin, an actor in the Chamber Theatre, Tel Aviv. A third son, Matatiyahu, was killed in the Israeli-Arab war.

THE REV. C. KOWALSKI

The Rev. Dr. BARNETT JOSEPH, of the Hackney Synagogue, London, writes, in a tribute to the Rev. C. Kowalski, chazan of the synagogue, who died on Sunday at the age of 59: "For 18 years he served the United Synagogue zealously and conscientiously, having previously held office for many years at the former Central Hackney Synagogue and abroad at Kalisch, Poland. His colleagues in the Anglo-Jewish ministry are left to mourn a devoted and earnest interpreter of the traditional synagogue service and a tireless worker in many branches of religious, charitable, and communal endeavour.

"Ever conscious before whom he stood, he brought a piety and dignity to the discharge of his sacred calling. He was endowed by nature with a rich and resonant voice, and he realised that to lead his people in prayer was a signal honour demanding the best that he could give. He entered wholeheartedly into all aspects of congregational life and devotedly served his congregants, sharing with them their joys and their sorrows."

MRS. FREDA FOX

Mrs. Freda Fox, who died in London on Monday, was an active worker for the Mizrachi Organisation. She was the wife of Mr. Sam Fox, a former Warden of the Hendon Synagogue and of the High Wycombe Synagogue.

Mr. JANUS COHEN, Chairman of the Zionist Federation of Great Britain, writes: "The passing of Freda Fox will be deeply felt by all with whom she came into contact. Her lovable personality and constant solicitude for others, her piety and charitableness, her zealous devotion to communal welfare and Jewish national aspirations—all combined to make her an outstanding example of a true mother in Israel, whose memory will be dearly cherished."

Mrs. H. DRUCE, Hon. Secretary of the Hendon Mizrachi Women's Society, writes: "Our Society mourns the loss of Freda Fox, a former Chairman. At all times she worked for the cause with sincerity and purpose, which, allied to her sweet charm and modesty of character, endeared her to her fellow-workers and to all with whom she came in contact."

MR. LEOPOLD ABEL

Mr. A. M. HURWITZ writes: "The sudden death of Mr. Leopold Abel came as a great shock to his many friends and to Leeds Jewry in general. Only a few weeks ago he had returned from his first visit to Israel. Mr. Abel served the New Briggate Synagogue as a beadle, before that synagogue was replaced by the New Synagogue, Chapeltown, and to the latter synagogue he rendered the same service since its foundation 20 years ago. He won the respect and affection of all the congregants. A member of an old chassidic family, Mr. Abel was well-versed in Jewish literature, but his greatest delight was in modern Hebrew. He read every work in this field and spoke the language with fluency and ease. None of his friends can forget his pungent wit. His untimely death has left an aching void that can never be filled."

MR. CHARLES ISAACS

Mr. Charles Isaacs, who has died in Cardiff, at the age of 76, was (writes our Cardiff correspondent) one of the community's most respected members. He was for many years a zealous member of the Windsor Place Synagogue Council and was one of the leading spirits in the movement to unite the Cardiff congregations. Mr. Isaacs was a generous supporter of many deserving causes. He was a former chairman of the Cardiff branch of the Cinematograph Exhibitors' Association and a member of the Council of the E.E.A. Conciliation Board.

THE LATE MR. H. S. SCHILDKRAUT

Mr. CHARLES SPENCER, Secretary of the Anglo-Jewish Association, writes: "Mr. H. S. Schildkraut was a member of the Anglo-Jewish Association for many years, and for the last ten years was a member of its Council. During that period he was an active member of the Administrative Committee and was its Chairman from 1946 until 1948, during which period he was responsible for the day-to-day running of the Association. After his retirement from the Ministry of National Insurance, in 1951, Mr. Schildkraut gave many months of his spare time to a most thorough and expert reorganisation of the Association's administrative machinery. Perhaps the most valuable contribution he made to the Association's affairs was the brilliant organising of its 80th birthday celebrations, which took the form of a dinner at the Savoy Hotel in 1951; but most important of all was the deep sincerity and wise experience he brought to all the affairs of the community and his strong belief that the Anglo-Jewish Association was a body through which his efforts could be usefully made."

Mr. Hartwig Baruch, who died on Sunday at his home in Coral Gables, Florida, at the age of 84, was a brother of the U.S.A. elder statesman, Mr. Bernard Baruch. He had been an actor, and was a retired member of the New York Stock Exchange.

Investments

FIRM GOVERNMENT SECURITIES

The "long" Account which ended on the London Stock Exchange this week proved one of the most encouraging for a considerable time. The 15 dealing days represented were unbroken by any holiday such as usually mars a three-week run, and speculators naturally made the most of the fact. But it was in the investment departments where the interesting developments took place.

British Government Securities have been persistently strong and prices have topped the best levels so far this year. Indeed, stocks such as War Loan 3½ per cent show advance of over 30s. per cent since January 1. Support has been assisted in the past few days by the reinvestment of money released in the payment of £148,000,000 of War Bonds 1951-53 and from the payment of some £10,000,000 of East Indian Railway Annuities.

This, however, is only part of the story. It is clear that steadily returning confidence in economic conditions as a whole has brought many small investors into the market. It is a movement which shows every sign of developing. Stock at present levels is none too plentiful and given reasonably encouraging market conditions, the better trend should be more than maintained.

A healthy tone for the gilts is the best possible basis for overall market recovery. The only unknown factor on the horizon is the April Budget, but City opinion is that the Chancellor will make every effort to avoid checking the returning monetary confidence which is so essential to the financial health of the country as a whole.

Tyre Prices Drop Affects Turnover

The ability to cut profit margins is likely to prove an important factor for many industrial companies in coming months. Mr. C. G. G. Hayman of **British Tyre and Rubber** says that the company's past year's profits were achieved only through a substantial accumulation of orders then in hand which enabled full production to be maintained. Now substantial reductions in selling prices have affected the turnover and margins of the group during the early months of the current year.

It is the same with the British Tyre's controlled subsidiary, **India Rubber and Gutta Percha and Telegraph Works.** Sir Eric C. Miéville, the Chairman, says that there is every sign that the current year "will be a difficult one." Conditions overseas are likely to affect turnover "to an extent calculated to result in profits less favourable than those now before you."

The Board of **Palestine Electric Corporation** informs shareholders that negotiations with the Israeli Government regarding tariffs have been completed and new rates have been introduced with effect from January 1 last. Under existing conditions these rates will enable the Corporation to work at a profit and resume payment of dividends on the Ordinary and "A" Ordinary shares.

Atkinson Oates Motors, the South African importers and distributors of motor vehicles, is maintaining interim dividend at 20 per cent in respect of the year ending June 30 next. The final payment for 1951-52 was 60 per cent to make a total of 80 per cent in all. In the report issued in December the Chairman, Mr. A. B. Callow, said that the first five months of the company's financial year had produced "gratifying results."

CITY EDITOR.

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JEWS "CREATING THEIR OWN GHETTO"

Mr. A. I. Polack's Talk to A.J.A. Younger Members

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

Addressing a meeting of the A.J.A. Younger Members' Branch at 36, Hallam Street, W.1, on Sunday, Mr. A. I. Polack (Education Officer, Council of Christians and Jews) said that there was a tendency within the Jewish community to create their own ghetto. He added that the social barriers this created ought to be broken down if harmony between Jews and non-Jews was to be achieved.

The term "Jewish Defence," said Mr. Polack, was an anachronism, a legacy of an unhappy past. What Jews needed now was co-operation. It would be better if a certain number of slights could be cheerfully ignored.

It was the obligation of Jews, Mr. Polack declared, to respect those institutions which were held in reverence by the majority of citizens in this country. Simchas were often celebrated on Sundays in a way that caused offence to Christians.

Mr. J. Samson addressing the annual meeting. With him are Mr. J. Balcombe and Miss Antoinette Rose

Presiding at the annual meeting of the A.J.A. Younger Members, which was held earlier, Mr. J. Balcombe said that there had been a slight decrease in membership.

The following were elected: Mr. J. E. Samson, President; Mr. K. Orpen, Secretary; and Miss H. Sebag-Montefiore, Treasurer.

HEBREW STUDY CERTIFICATE

Central Council's Plans

[COMMUNICATED]

Plans for establishing a Central Council Certificate for Proficiency in Hebrew and Religious Knowledge were discussed at a recent meeting of the Executive Committee of the Central Council of Jewish Religious Education, at which the Rev. Dr. A. Cohen presided.

This certificate, it was stated, would be presented to pupils attending provincial Hebrew classes who pass an examination based on an agreed syllabus. Mr. Harold Levy, the Inspector, said that he would consult with the education officers in the provinces. He expressed the hope that the project would be brought into effect very shortly.

The Chief Rabbi welcomed the proposal and said that he felt sure that the scheme would help to raise the general standard of Jewish religious education throughout the country.

Successful Schools

Mr. Levy, speaking about the successful winter school, said that it had been attended by over 70 boys and girls from all parts of the country, including members of the Jewish Youth Study Group Movement. Negotiations had been completed for the 1953 summer school, to be held at Moreton Hall, Weston Rybn, near Oswestry, from August 5 to August 19.

Dr. Cohen referred to the encouraging response received from many parts of the British Commonwealth and from America, concerning the correspondence course prepared by Mr. Levy for Jewish children living in isolated areas. Dr. Cohen also referred to the new Hebrew-for-All correspondence course, which was attracting a considerable number of students.

JEREMIAH 'GREATEST JEWISH OPTIMIST'

Doctrine of Hope

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

Jeremiah was the greatest optimist in Jewish history, declared the Rev. E. Levine, when he spoke on "Optimism in Jewish Thought" last week. The lecture was the second in the series "Our Common Heritage," held by the B'nai B'rith First Lodge of England, at 33, Seymour Place, W. Bro. T. H. Birks, the President, was in the chair.

In spite of hardships, persecution, and vicissitudes throughout the ages the Jewish people had never succumbed to the doctrine of pessimism, said the speaker.

Belief in Israel's Rebirth

The books of the Bible and the Talmud were permeated with the idea of hope and faith. Although Jeremiah had lived in a most critical period of Jewish history and had had to foretell the destruction of Jerusalem and the captivity of his people, he had retained his infinite belief in the rebirth of Israel and the revival of Judaism.

Hope, he added, was the great element of prophecy, and in the very fulfilment of foretold disasters Jewish optimism saw also evidence of the realisation of happier predictions.

Mr. Harry Samuels paid a tribute to the speaker.

ANNUAL PRIZE DISTRIBUTIONS

By JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporters*

BAYSWATER

Unless parents co-operated by setting good examples in the home and by helping children with their lessons, the good work of the Hebrew classes would largely be wasted, said the Rev. Sidney Gold, Superintendent of the Bayswater Synagogue classes (Chichester Place, W.2), at the annual prize-giving on Sunday. Mr. H. Kramer, Chairman of the Synagogue Education Committee, presided and the prizes were distributed by Mrs. Ivor M. Phillips.

Mr. Gold spoke of a parent who had threatened to withdraw a child from the classes if he did not refrain from teaching the children that they must not eat *trefa* meat.

In the past three years, he said, the number of children attending the classes had increased from 20 to 60. Progress had been consistently good.

The minister paid a tribute to Mr. Harold Aron, the senior warden, who, he said, never begrudged any extra money for the classes. He made a presentation to Mr. Posner, one of their teachers, who was leaving to go to St. John's Wood.

Future Baalei Batim of the Bayswater Hebrew Classes photographed with their mentors

Hendon

As part of the silver jubilee celebrations of the Hendon Synagogue (Raleigh Close, N.W.4), being held this week, the annual prize distribution to the pupils of the classes took place in the synagogue on Sunday.

Dayan Dr. I. Grunfeld, who presided, stressed the importance of "living Judaism" and cited passages from the Megillah showing the connections between Purim and education.

Beautiful synagogues of themselves, Dayan Grunfeld added, meant little if their was no teaching, but the Hendon Synagogue Classes could be congratulated on their success and achievements.

Dr. C. H. Moore, the headmaster, said that there were 309 pupils on the roll, the same number as the previous year. The curriculum covered a wide range of subjects leading to the School Certificate Examination of the Central Examining Board. The children had collected £72 for Jewish Child's Day and had contributed generously to collections for food for Israel.

The Rev. L. H. Hardman, minister of the synagogue, said that Hendon prided itself on being one of the pillars of traditional Judaism in Anglo-Jewry.

Other speakers were Mr. M. Kaye, Chairman of the Education Committee; Mr. I. J. Pomson and Dr. P. Kaplin, wardens; and Rabbi S. Warshaw, a member of the teaching staff.

In the absence, through illness, of Dr. Judith Grunfeld, the Dayan's wife, Mrs. Hardman distributed the awards. A Book of Blessings to commemorate the jubilee was presented to each child.

A commemorative art brochure is being produced, the proceeds of which are to be utilised for building additional rooms for the Hebrew classes.

Gladstone Park and Neasden

Fine progress by the Gladstone Park and Neasden Synagogue Talmud Torah, which now has over 120 children on the roll, was reported at the annual prize-giving held in the Ada Cooklin Hall, Sonia Gardens, N.W.10, on Sunday.

The Chairman, Mr. S. Angel, paid tribute to the minister and headmaster, the Rev. I. Landau, for his work.

Mr. Landau thanked Mr. and Mrs. S. Kaprow, through whose generosity, he said, the Classes' annual prize-giving had been instituted. (Mr. and Mrs. Kaprow had been involved earlier in the day in a road accident but had insisted on being present).

Mr. Landau pointed out that he had stipulated that every child in the classes should get a prize.

Dr. C. N. Faith and Mr. P. Hyman also spoke. The prizes and bags of sweets and chocolates were distributed by Mrs. Kaprow.

Richmond

The greatest prize was to gain a knowledge of the Jewish faith, declared Rabbi Dr. I. Epstein, Principal of Jews' College, at the annual prize-giving to the pupils of the Richmond District Synagogue Classes, Sheen Road, Richmond, on Sunday. Mr. I. Berlin, Chairman of the Education Committee presided.

Mr. Linden, the headmaster, reported good progress during the year, although the number of children on the roll (52) was less than last year (67).

Rabbi Dr. M. Ginsberg (the minister), Mr. H. Webber (warden), and Mr. J. Hockley also spoke. Mrs. Epstein distributed the awards.

Upton Park

An appeal for more adequate accommodation and teaching staff was made on Sunday by Mr. J. Cohen, the Chairman, at the annual prize distribution to the pupils of the Hebrew and Religion Classes of the Upton Park District Synagogue, Tudor Road, London, E.6.

Mr. Cohen said that there were 50 children on the roll compared with five in 1945. He welcomed the guest of honour, Ald. A. Prior, J.P., the Mayor of East Ham, and the Aldermen, Councillors, and J.P.s of the local council.

The Mayor said that the world owed a great debt to the Jewish people, who had made a worthy contribution to civilisation. He expressed the hope that parents would heed the Chairman's appeal to enable their children to obtain the religious education necessary to make them good citizens.

The Mayoress, Ald. Mrs. Elson, distributed the awards.

The report of the London Board of Jewish Religious Education, read by Mr. A. C. Gilbert, praised the headmaster, Mr. M. Friede, and the teachers for their work.

Other speakers included Messrs. A. Cohen, S. Simmons, and M. Friede.

A reception was held later in the communal hall.

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CARLTON Danny Kaye in Goldwyn's **Hans Christian Andersen** (u) (Technicolor) Weekdays cont. 11.49. Suns. open 4 p.m.
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DOMINION, Tott. Crt. Rd. Com. Mar. 8. Dirk Bogarde, **Appointment in London** (u). Weekdays only: **711 Ocean Drive** (a)
EMPIRE (Ger. 1234) Cont. dly. from 10 a.m. Sundays from 4.30. Lana Turner, Kirk Douglas in **The Bad and the Beautiful** (a)
ENVOY CINEMA, Kilburn High Road (Mai. 6767) Mar. 8, 7 days. Louis Jouvet, Michel Simon, **Drole De Drame** (a). Randolph Scott, **When The West Was Young** (u)
ESSOLDO, Kilburn (Mai. 6566) March 9, 6 days. Spencer Tracy, **Plymouth Adventure** (u). Arlene Dahl, **Watch the Birdie** (a)
GAUMONT, Haymarket Tyrone Power in **The Mississippi Gambler** (u) (in Tech.), at 2.35, 5.50, 9.5. Suns. at 5.20, 8.5
GAUMONT STATE, Kilburn Com. Mar. 9. Robert Newton, **Blackbeard the Pirate** (u) (Tech.). Also **Time Gentlemen Please!** (u)
GOLDERS GREEN LIDO March 9, 7 days. Spencer Tracy, **Plymouth Adventure** (u) (Tech). **The Rose Bowl Story** (u) (Cinecolor)
GOLDERS GREEN REGAL March 9, 6 days. Ronald Shiner in **Top of the Form** (u) 2.50, 6.5, & 9.25
HAMPSTEAD PLAYHOUSE (Pri. 6868) Mar. 9, 6 days. Spencer Tracy, Gene Tierney, V. Johnson, **Plymouth Adventure** (u) (Tech.)
HENDON NEW CLASSIC (Hen. 6631) March 8, for 7 days. Marx Bros., **Duck Soup** (u) & premiere Hungarian film, **Mrs. Dery** (u)
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LONDON PAV. Wkdys. from 10.30. Suns. from 4.30. Randolph Scott in **Hangman's Knot** (u) (Tech.). **Strange Fascination** (a)
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PLAZA Burt Lancaster, **Come Back, Little Sheba** (a). **Hurricane Smith** (u) Cont. weekdays 11.14. Sundays open 4 p.m.
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Entertainments

Theatres

THE GLORIOUS DAYS

This should really be called "The Glorious Days" of Anna Neagle, who dances superbly, sings nicely, and acts passably in the new musical play at the Palace Theatre. It is a patriotic spectacle designed for the Coronation period, and it is to be hoped that there will be sufficient of the unsophisticated public to keep it going until that event takes place. Starting in a Chelsea "pub" during the Blitz, a blast from a bomb gives Miss Neagle the opportunity to wander in her mind through the centuries, and gives us the opportunity to see her as Nell Gwynn, Queen Victoria, and as the leading lady in a number of musical comedies from 1913 to 1937. Only in the last scenes did we see some really good acting from Peter Graves.

THE FATHER

Strindberg's play "The Father" at the Arts Theatre is not everyone's delight. This story of the captain who is gradually driven insane by the villainy of his wife, who sows in his mind doubts as to the paternity of his child, is a harrowing example of the author's hatred of women. Its redeeming features are the clear delineation of the characters, and the brilliant scope it gives for acting. Wilfred Lawson showed once again his fine strength and his power of suggestion by reserve, though the final scene seemed to lose its grip. Beatrix Lehmann was terrifying with her picture of a woman devoid of humanity. The new adaptation by Max Faber was extremely helpful.

JULIUS CÆSAR

There have at various times during the past generation been better individual performances of the leading combatants than are now to be seen in "Julius Cæsar" at the Old Vic, but Hugh Hunt's production stands without fear of comparison as the outstanding example of unity and boldness of theme. William Devlin, although he plays on a subdued note, is theatrically true as the self-tortured Brutus; Paul Rogers is cunning and determined as Cassius, and Robin Bailey's prosaic Anthony is none the less captivating. Intriguing performances come from William Squire as the sly Casca, and from Douglas Campbell as Cæsar and Octavius. C.L.

FIVE PHILADELPHIA PHYSICIANS

From a welter of wordy parables and extracts from the New Testament emerges the theme of "Five Philadelphia Physicians" (at the Embassy, Swiss Cottage), namely the self-damnation of man as a result of his continued violence and intolerance. Hugh Evans, a new American dramatist, has used for his purpose a negro-lynching incident, witnessed by the victim's ten-year-old son. The play is saved by a strong third act, in which Valerie White (a lyncher's "kept woman") must decide whether to follow her heart or her conscience. Sheila Shand Gibbs is noteworthy as a rebellious "good-time girl," who sells her soul for 30 dollars; but Mark Dignam, symbolising the Wandering Jew, is unimpressive. S.E.

LONDON PALLADIUM

The opening of the variety season at the London Palladium developed into an uneven contest between acrobats and microphone-huggers; the acrobats won hands down. The Mathurins, knock-about comics; the Douglas Troupe, springboard acrobats; and the Karloffs, a balancing act "assisted" by Max Miller, were excellent. Of the runners-up, Alfred Marks, the Jewish comedian, skilfully used the microphone to obtain the right emphasis for his well-timed stories and impressions. Mary Small, an American crooner, also had a good microphone technique. Tessie O'Shea's zest was worthy of better material, while Max Miller's warning that his gags came "straight from the sewer" was not an over-statement. M.E.

Music

PURIM CONCERT

The Purim concert arranged by the West End Great Synagogue in the Communal Hall on Saturday evening of last week provided an opportunity for three young artists to give a very large audience some excellent music. The evening was notable for the return of the Ben Uri Orchestra to activity, under a new conductor, James Verity, of the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra. In three weeks he has achieved a great deal, he is forceful in his conducting and obviously inspiring to

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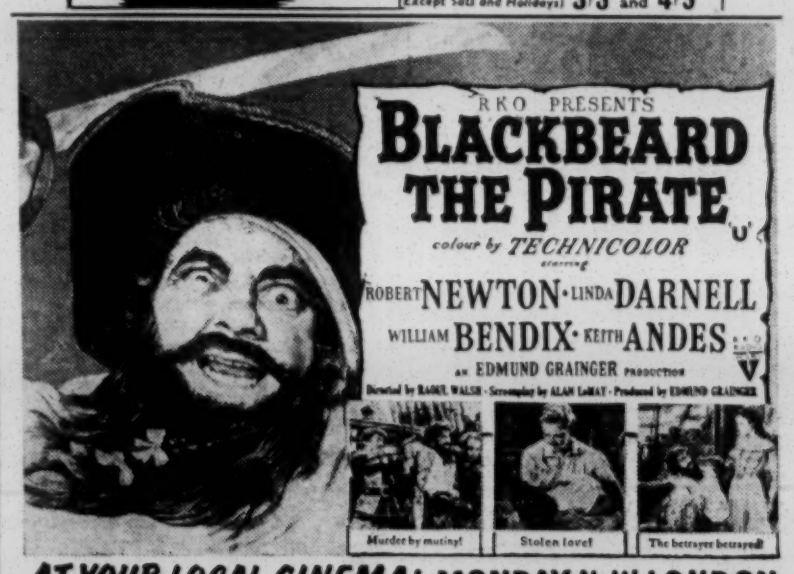

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APOLLO (Ger. 2663) 7.0. St. 5.30 & 8.30. Th. 2.30. Ronald Shiner, Bernard Lee, Wm. Hartnell, **Seagulls Over Sorrento**
COLISEUM (Tem. 3161) 7.30. St. 5.30, 8.30. Wd. 2.30. Jack Hylton pres. **Call Me Madam.** Billie Worth, Anton Walbrook
DRURY LANE (Tem. 8108) Evenings 7.15. Mats. Wed. Sat. 2.30. Julie Wilson and Wilbur Evans in **South Pacific**
DUCHESS (Tem. 8243) 7.30. Mats Th. & St. 2.30. Googie Withers in Terence Rattigan's **The Deep Blue Sea,** & R. Culver
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LYRIC (Ger. 3686) 7.30. Wd. 2.30. 5, 6 & 8.45. Hugh Sinclair, Diane Hart, David Tomlinson in **The Little Hut.** (3rd year)
LYRIC, H'smith (Riv. 4432) 7.15. Th. & S. 2.30. John Gielgud, Pamela Brown, Margaret Rutherford, Eileen Herlie, Paul Scofield in **The Way of the World**
PALACE (Ger. 6843) Evgs. 7.30. Mat. Wd. 2.30. Tom Arnold pres. Anna Neagle in Coronation Musical **The Glorious Days** Prod. by Robert Nesbitt. All seats bkble.
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Entertainments—*cont. from previous page*

work under. In all the circumstances the performance of Haydn's "La Chasse" symphony was highly creditable. There is need for this orchestra, and we must hope that now it is past its major difficulties. Anna Gottschalk, a young contralto making her first appearance, had the usual "nerves," but she has a voice worth developing. Sylvia Haskell already has an assured future; she has the kind of voice fittingly though platitudinously described as "glorious." If she remains entirely in the field of "popular" music the classical field will have lost a great deal. Julian Harris was disappointing; his vocal production has tightened up, he has lost some of his melhfluous tone. One must hope it is only temporary. Maurice Bannister sponsored the young artists, and delighted the audience with his selection of "Hora" songs. Mrs. Lecker accompanied.

NATASHA LITVIN RECITAL

The recital given by Natasha Litvin for the Youth Aliyah wards in the Jerusalem Home for Maladjusted Children drew a large and appreciative audience to Wigmore Hall on Wednesday of last week. The programme contained two items not frequently played: Schubert's "Fantasie Sonata" and Ravel's set of pieces: "Gaspard de la Nuit." The Sonata, and also Beethoven's "Farewell-Absence-Return" Sonata, were given thoughtful, intelligent performances, while the Ravel had all the brilliance these extremely difficult and very temperamental pieces need. One could not always agree with Miss Litvin's time values; *e.g.*, in Chopin's "Valse Brillante" there was a tendency to hurry the tempo unnecessarily in certain passages; but usually there was reason, rather than waywardness, behind it.

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The Montagu String Orchestra is enterprising, perhaps too much so, in its performance of "new, unknown, and neglected music." On Monday evening at Kensington Town Hall, under its conductor, Jeremy Montagu, it presented a "Chamber Symphony for Clarinet, Strings, and Percussion" by David Barrett, which should have continued in the "neglected" class. On the other hand Norman Demuth's "Symphony, 1952," also having a first performance, had much to recommend it in its skilfully scored, dry outer movements and its rather more warming slow movement. Oedoen Partos's "Yiskor" for Viola and Strings renewed its strong impression of brooding melancholy, with Cecil Aronowitz as a deeply sympathetic soloist. H.C.S.

Cinema

FILMS OF THE WEEK

The Bad and the Beautiful (Empire, Leicester Square) presents a bitter attack upon Hollywood by Hollywood, ruthlessly exposing its lack of morals, ethics, and business methods. Some of the stars of this picture are Lana Turner, as the dipsomaniac actress brought back to a sense of reality; Walter Pidgeon, the producer who tries to be all things to all men; Dick Powell, the high-principled writer; and Gloria Grahame his simpering wife. There is also that sound Jewish actor, Kirk Douglas, as the director who lets nothing and no one stand in his path. This film should not be missed.

The Titfield Thunderbolt (Leicester Square Theatre) proves once again that of all the world's film-makers, Sir Michael Balcon's Ealing Studios get the most fun out of the business. This is a jolly romp, with Stanley Holloway, George Relph, Naunton Wayne, and Sir Godfrey Tearle, about the running, by a group of enthusiastic amateurs, of a denationalised country railway line.

Hangman's Knot (London Pavilion, Piccadilly Circus) is a rugged, Technicolored episode of the aftermath of the American Civil War, with Randolph Scott facing slightly lighter odds than usual, say a mere hundred or so to one. Loaded with gold, he and a few companions, together with Nurse Donna Reed, are trapped by desperadoes in a log cabin. In the same programme at the "Pav." is **Strange Fascination**, a direct, if somewhat sickly descendant of "Blue Angel" and "The Way of All Flesh," those two classics that showed good men being brought low by bad women. The unblushing sex appeal of Cleo Moore, a night-club dancer, causes Hugo Haas, an ageing concert pianist, to forgo the undeniable charms of Mona Barrie, his rich backer, in favour of a sordid marriage that leads him ultimately to find refuge in a Salvation Army shelter.

Come Back, Little Sheba (Plaza, Piccadilly Circus) is an appealing, incisively characterised story of tiresome middle-age, with Burt Lancaster, fighting hard against the urge to get drunk, finding things unbearable when a sweet, unspoiled young girl, Terry Moore, begins to compete with his well-meaning but sluttish wife, Shirley Booth.

One Summer of Happiness (Curzon, Curzon Street, W.) is filled with a rare lyric beauty; it poignantly reveals the shattering by evil influences of an idyll in the harsh Swedish countryside between a student and a simple peasant girl. F.H.S.

Radio

"Chaim Weizmann" is the title of a 20-minute talk to be broadcast on the Third Programme to-morrow from 8.50 p.m., by Mr. Christopher Sykes, who has been making a special study of Zionism. The talk will be repeated on Monday.

"Anne Frank's Diary" will be reviewed by Pamela Melnikoff and discussed by the Under-Twenty Review on the Light Programme of the B.B.C. on Wednesday next at 6.15 p.m. The book has already been translated into ten languages, including Japanese.

SHAW PLAYS PERFORMED BY BEN URI GROUP

By a JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporter*

Two one-act plays by George Bernard Shaw, and part of a third, were performed by the Ben Uri Drama Group at the King George's Hall, Adeline Place, W.C., on Monday. This was the first dramatic presentation given outside the headquarters at 14, Portman Street, W.

In "Overruled" the cast comprised Margaret Fry, Bernard Benjamin, Ida Rifkind, and Max Einstein; in "The Dark Lady of the Sonnets," Ivor Woolf, Alan Miller, Edna Rutman, and Yardenna Lipshitz; and in "Village Wooing" (First Conversation), Leila Dennis and Norman Beekman.

The plays were produced by Leslie Harris, assisted by Vicki Tabor, the décor was by Sochachewsky, and the stage manager was Alan Isaacs, with Jean Harris as assistant stage manager.

Particulars of the Group's activities can be obtained from the Secretary, Miss Ida Rifkind, 135, Fleetwood Road, N.W.10.

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SHOW AIDS BOARD OF GUARDIANS

Women Committee's Effort

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

The Jewish Board of Guardians will receive several hundred pounds as a result of a performance of "The Glorious Days" arranged at the Palace Theatre, London, W.C.2, on Tuesday, by the Board's Women's Campaign Committee. The guest of honour was Mrs. Norman Edwards, Mayoress of the City of Westminster.

The President of the Board, Mr. Justice Karminski, stated in a message that he was grateful to the Committee for the enthusiastic and energetic way in which they had tackled their self-imposed task of helping the Board of Guardians.

Miss Anna Neagle, star of the show, said that those taking part in the play hoped that the performance had resulted in a large sum of money being raised for the Board of Guardians.

The Women's Campaign Committee is headed by Mrs. Israel Brodie, Hon. President; Mrs. Isaac Wolfson and Miss Miriam Moses, O.B.E., J.P., co-Chairmen; Mrs. M. Stern, Hon. Organiser; Mrs. M. Williams and Mrs. E. Sterling, Hon. Treasurers; and Mrs. B. W. Hyman, Hon. Secretary.

AWARD TO GIRL DANCER

By a JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporter*

Thirteen-year-old Irene Parlons, of Wesley Road, Leyton, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Parlons, who holds a bronze medal for dancing, was recently awarded a silver medal for tap dancing by the Imperial Society of Teachers of Dancing, Inc. (stage branch).

Irene Parlons

Irene, who is a pupil of Leyton County High School, studies dancing and singing at the Barbara Holmes School, Leytonstone, and is a member of the school's Tip Top Tappers' Troupe.

MOLLY PICON'S VISIT

Three London Concerts

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

Molly Picon, one of the best-known Jewish actresses, is to visit London next month to give three concerts (on April 1, 2, and 4) at the Scala Theatre, W.

It is 17 years since she was last in London. She then filled that exalted position in the variety sphere—"top of the bill" at the Palladium. About that time, also, her film, "Yiddle with the Fiddle" (made in Warsaw in 1935), was shown at the Academy Cinema for 12 weeks.

Molly Picon

Another of Miss Picon's films, "Mamale," made in America, has been frequently shown at Jewish charity concerts in England. She has continued to hold her place as the leading entertainer in Yiddish musical comedy in the United States, and she has also appeared frequently on the non-Jewish stage.

Following her visit to England and to other European cities, including Paris, Brussels, and Antwerp, Miss Picon is to leave for Israel to give a series of concerts in aid of children's welfare institutions.

PIONEER WOMEN

A meeting and film show was organised by the North London branches of Pioneer Women of Great Britain, at the Ose Hall, Stamford Hill, London, last week.

Mrs. Mary Mikardo, Chairman of the Organisation, presided. The guest speaker, Mrs. Hermona Simon, outlined the development of the State of Israel during the last five years.

Miss Naomi Lebor, General Secretary of Pioneer Women, spoke about the growth of the organisation of Pioneer Women in this country.

Two Moetzet Hapoalot films: "The Tuft of Grass" and "Israel Diary," were shown.

J.P.A. NEWS

Golders Green

Lord and Lady Strabolgi attended a reception held recently by the Golders Green community at the home of Mr. P. Haltrecht. Mr. S. Ellis presided. In a review of Israel's political prospects, Lord Strabolgi said that the Jewish State had proved it could protect itself in any emergency.

An appeal to the community to help the J.P.A. was made by Mr. Alfred Woolf, J.P., and £6,000 was raised. Votes of thanks to the Chairman and speakers were moved by the Rev. I. Livingstone, supported by Mr. Charles Barclay, J.P.

Edgware and Stanmore

The Chairman of the Zionist Federation, Mr. Janus Cohen, attended the first meeting, held recently, of the Edgware and Stanmore J.P.A. Committee, and spoke about the political and social outlook of world Jewry to-day. A committee for the 1953 Appeal was elected as follows: the Rev. S. Amias, President; Messrs. J. Tarlo, Vice-President; D. Fisch, Chairman; A. B. Olivestone, R. Fletcher, J. Meltzer, C. Stein, and a representative of the Stanmore community, Vice-Chairmen; A. Craps and J. West, Treasurers; and D. Clayton (45, Windsor Avenue, Edgware), Hon. Secretary.

AID FOR AGED HOME

By a JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporter*

The Home for Aged Jews (Nightingale Lane, London, S.W.), benefited by £130 as a result of a buffet, dinner, and ball, held at the Cavendish Ballrooms, 77-78, Lancaster Gate, W., on Sunday. The organisers were Mrs. B. Woolf, Mrs. A. Bloom, and Mr. H. Jacobs. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Solomons were the guests of honour.

Tributes were paid to Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Ridgewood, who were celebrating their 25th wedding anniversary and had placed the ballrooms at the disposal of the organisers of the gathering free of charge; and to Mr. and Mrs. Max Phillips who had helped to arrange the gathering.

Mr. Maurice Woolf presided and Mr. Max Phillips, the M.C., made an appeal. Mr. J. Swerdlin also spoke.

INFLUENCE OF THE MASKIL

Emphasis on Ethics

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

Dr. A. Steinberg denied the widely held view that the *maskil* (the "enlightened one")—the exponent of the so-called Haskala Movement—had been a type on the verge of irreligiosity when he gave the sixth lecture in the series, "Recurrent Types in Jewish Religious Experience," held by the Hapoel Hamizrachi at the Anglo-Israeli Club, London, last week.

The distinguishing characteristic of the *maskil's* peculiar pattern of religious experience, Dr. Steinberg said, was determined by the fact that along with the traditional Jewish values the *maskil* had also adopted other values, rooted in the non-Jewish cultural tradition of the west, particularly the value of science and of scientific approach to history.

Within Jewish life, the speaker went on, the *maskil* had emphasised ethical teaching, particularly that of the prophets, rather than the precise text of the Law or the observance of religious rites and ceremonies.

Dr. B. Homa, L.C.C., presided.

OLD BOYS' ASSOCIATION

By a JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporter*

It was the task of the Old Boys' Association to see that the Anglo-Jewish movement was kept alive by providing it with leadership and, whenever possible, with financial assistance, declared Mr. Basil L. Q. Henriques, C.B.E., J.P., when he proposed the toast of the Association at the annual dinner of the Association, held at the Trocadero Restaurant, London, W.1, on Saturday.

Mr. Frank Renton, a Vice-President, who was in the chair, paid tribute to the memory of the late Chairman of the Association, Mr. H. Schildkraut.

The Chairman stated that their Association had over 500 members.

Responding to the toast of "The Ladies," proposed by Mr. John Dight, Mrs. Henriques said that she looked forward to the establishment of an Old Girls' Association.

Mr. S. Levy also spoke.

UNION OF JEWISH WOMEN

Membership Increased

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

Anglo-Jewry's services to Britain and its contribution to the maintenance of a high standard of family life were praised by Mrs. M. Lefroy, J.P., President of the National Council of Women of Great Britain, at the annual meeting of the Union of Jewish Women, held at Frank House, 18, Campden Hill Square, London, W.8, last week.

Lady Nathan, who presided, said that during the past year they had increased their membership by 54. The Union had received six tickets for Coronation seats which would be distributed by ballot among members on application.

The adoption of the annual report was proposed by Mrs. I. Brodie and seconded by Mrs. M. Rosenheim.

Mrs. A. Humphreys, Treasurer, who submitted the accounts, said that there was an overdraft of £800.

Mrs. Neville Laski was among those who also spoke.

The President and the five members of the Executive Committee were re-elected.

LADIES' GUILDS

The Sutton and District Ladies' Guild recently held their annual election at 5, Worcester Gardens, Sutton. The following were elected: Mesdames Fishman, Chairman; Cohen, Vice-Chairman; Davis, Treasurer; and Reef, Hon. Secretary. The Chairman stated that £100 was donated to the Building Fund, in addition to donations to various organisations.

The Hornsey and Wood Green Synagogue Ladies' Guild held a dance recently at the Hornsey Town Hall. The proceeds, amounting to £120, were handed over to the Synagogue Building Fund. Last Sunday the guild organised a purim celebration and children's fancy dress party.

At the annual meeting of the Shepherd's Bush Ladies' Guild held in the Hyman Fisher Hall of the Shepherd's Bush Synagogue last week, the following were elected: Mesdames Hyman Barnett, President; R. Cohen, Vice-President; M. DeYoung, Treasurer; and P. Breslauer, Hon. Secretary.

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TRACTOR PURCHASES FROM TANGANYIKA

Israeli Foreign Ministry Official's Denial

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

Mr. Michael Comay, Assistant Director-General, Israeli Ministry for Foreign Affairs, and head of its British Commonwealth Division, described reports published in THE TIMES and other British national newspapers in connection with his visit to London as "quite unfounded."

Mr. M. Comay

According to these reports Mr. Comay had arrived here to arrange with the British authorities for the exchange of 200 defective tractors which Israeli interests had acquired under a £1,000,000 deal with the liquidators of the British East African groundnuts scheme.

Mr. Comay told me that his visit to London had no political significance. It was part of his routine tour of Israeli diplomatic missions in Western Europe. While in London, in company with Mr. E. Elath, the Israeli Ambassador, he had paid a courtesy call on Sir James Bowker, the Under-Secretary of State. He had also seen senior officials of the Eastern Department of the Foreign Office.

Suggested Modifications

Mr. Comay said that last year the Israeli East African Purchasing Organisation in Nairobi—representing the Israeli Government and the Jewish Agency—had acquired from the East African Disposals Board about 300 heavy tractors and machinery. [I learn that the amount involved was about £600,000.] Discussions between the Israeli Embassy here and the British Foreign and Colonial Offices, on certain questions concerning the implementation of the purchase agreement, had already been going on for some time. They included, in certain respects, Israeli proposals to modify the original contracts in the light of Israel's financial position and its present development schemes. These negotiations, in the course of which his presence in London had been utilised, would continue after his departure—he is due to leave to-day (Friday).

There was no question of defective tractors or of their exchange, Mr. Comay added.

EQUIPMENT FROM EAST AFRICA

From our Correspondent—HAIFA

Fifteen hundred tons of pipes, 52 tractors, and 1,500 tons of other equipment from Tanganyika were unloaded here this week from the freighter Slesvik. The equipment included cooling machinery bought by Solel Boneh and the Jewish Agency.

£1,150 FOR STEPNEY GIRLS' CLUB

Opera Group's Performances

About £1,150 was raised for the Stepney Jewish Girls' (B'nai B'rith) Club and Settlement as a result of the four performances of "Annie Get Your Gun" given recently by the Opera and Dramatic Group of the Club at the People's Palace, London. The first performance was attended by over 1,500 members of Friendship Clubs, for whom special transport was arranged. At the third performance Miss Clarica Davidson was the guest of honour, and among the large audience were Lady Karminski, Mrs. S. Brodetsky, Miss Miriam Moses, O.B.E., J.P., Miss Hilda Schlesinger, M.B.E., Mr. Jack Morrison, J.P. (President) of District Grand Lodge, B'nai B'rith), and Mrs. A. Schwab (Chairman of the Club).

The producers were Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Larkin, and those who assisted them included the Warden, Miss Phyllis Gerson, M.B.E., J.P., Mrs. M. J. Hilton was responsible for the financial arrangements.

NORTH WEST LONDON SYNAGOGUE

At the recent annual meeting of the North-West London (Golders Green) Synagogue, 89, Woodstock Avenue, N.W.11, the President, Mr. M. Caplin, said it was hoped that new premises would soon be acquired.

Elections resulted as follows: Messrs. M. Caplin, President; S. Trauberman, Vice-President; M. Myers, Treasurer; A. Wolinsky and M. Arfin, Wardens, and a Board of Management. Mr. A. Wolinsky was appointed Life Warden.

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present day, and behind it all there is the picture of Harry Peterson as a man of his age, the age of doubt, of search for a worthwhile belief.

There is a shrewd and understanding portrait of a Jewish character in Abrahams, the New Town's likeable Housing Officer; and a comment on a farmer and his wife that is typical of Mr. Jones's crisp style. "The Carles had two sons, Noah and Jacob, and two daughters, Rachel and Esther. Biblical names were a family tradition, and the Carles found nothing inconsistent in being antisemites; like many English people they never admitted that the persons whose doings are recorded in the Old and New Testament were Jews."

ORIENTAL JEWRY

Far East Mission. By LOUIS RABINOWITZ. Chief Rabbi of the Transvaal, South Africa. Johannesburg. *Eagle Press.* 17s. 6d.

Reviewed by ISRAEL COHEN

This is an interesting and graphic description of a journey to the Jewish communities of India and Singapore, which Rabbi Dr. Rabinowitz made a year ago in the interests of the Israeli United Appeal. The cities that he visited were Karachi, Bombay, Panvel, Poona, Cochin, Calcutta, and Singapore, in addition to which he made brief stops in Israel—on the way out, to be briefed at the offices of the Jewish Agency and the Keren Hayesod, and on the way back, to deliver his report. As he started out from Johannesburg and returned there, the length of his itinerary was quite considerable, but, thanks to the aeroplane, he was able to accomplish his mission in the comparatively short time of five weeks. It would seem that whatever changes may have taken place in the Orient in recent years, the Jews have not yet developed a desire for unity, a sense for organisation, and a spirit of collective responsibility. Rabbi Rabinowitz writes with engaging candour of the numerous personal problems with which he was faced in the various places, and he is perhaps the best judge of whether he has not overstepped the bounds of discretion rather more often than was necessary.

Interesting Encounters

Apart from the passages in which he relates his encounters, pleasant and unpleasant, with a succession of interesting persons of both sexes, the author provides us with a great deal of novel and instructive information, particularly about the Marranos of Meshed now in Bombay. His chapters on Cochin, which occupy about a third of the book, present a very full account of the history, synagogues, and religious customs of the three local castes—the White Jews, the Malabar (or Black) Jews, and the "Meshuchrarim," the descendants of freed slaves. He also adds to our knowledge of the customs of the Bene Israel and of the latest developments in Jewish communal life in Calcutta and Singapore. "Far East Mission," which is illustrated by a number of photographs taken by the author, is a welcome addition to Jewish travel literature.

BOOK BRIEFS

Jewish Law in the Modern World, by Rabbi Dr. W. Van der Zyl, is the latest in a series of pamphlets issued by the Expansion Committee of the Association of Synagogues in Great Britain (33, Seymour Place, London, W.1). It gives a summary of the point of view of Reform Judaism.

Britain's Great Flood Disaster, by Hank Janson (New Fiction Press, 139, Borough High Street, London, S.E.1), is an illustrated record, and the proceeds are to be devoted to funds for the relief of victims.

Birth Control To-day, by Dr. Marie Stopes (Hogarth Press, 7s. 6d.), is the tenth and revised edition of this work.

A Hundred Years of the Halifax, by Oscar R. Hobson (Batsford), which records the development of the Halifax Building Society from 1853 to 1953, discusses many points of interest to students of economic and social history.

Skinner's Property Share Annual 1952-53 gives authoritative information about some 150 property companies.

CLUB ACTIVITIES, Etc.

A.J.E.X.

invites you

Stamford Hill Branch. Thursday, March 12. Thinking about your holidays? A talk by Ray Hayter, of the Butlin Organisation, on "Holiday Camps." Marcus Samuel Hall, Egerton Road, N.16. 8-10.30 p.m.

Edgware & District Branch. March 7. Grand Dance at Brent Bridge Hotel, N.W.11. 7.30-11.30 p.m. Tickets 10/6. Not Temple's Band. Fully licensed Bar.

The Association of Jewish Ex-Service Men and Women has Branches in most areas. Details from 28, Euston Square, N.W.1.

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Tues., March 10. Debate with Y.P.C. "That the teaching of 'The Merchant of Venice' be banned." Chairman: Maurice Harskin. 8.30 p.m.

Wed., March 11. Hebrew Evening. 8.30 p.m.

Thurs., March 12. Special Dance with band. Members 2/6; Guests 5/-. 8 p.m. 43/44, Gt. Windmill St., W.1 (GERrard 2963)

BAYSWATER JEWISH CENTRE

Westbourne Park Crescent, Harrow Rd., W.2

Sunday, March 8. The club with the friendly atmosphere presents another informal dance at 8 p.m. Dancing to Jack Amlet and his Band.

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Sat. and Sun., March 7 and 8. At 8 p.m. The Maccabi Players present "Night Must Fall" (Emlyn Williams). Tickets 6/-, 5/-, 3/6, obtainable from Murray Kaye at the Club.

Mon., March 9. Jewish Affairs: "Industry in Israel."

Wed., March 11. Photography: "Intensifying and Reducing."

Thurs., March 12. Literary: Councillor I. Bagnari.

Inquiries about Tennis, Cricket, and Athletics should be addressed to Sam Bulka, Sports Director.

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Mon., March 9. Table Tennis & Television.

Wed., March 11. "All the Latest News." Talk by Mr. David Wainwright, from the "Evening News." 8.30 p.m.

SATURDAY, MARCH 7

All-London Jewish Amateur Dance Championships, sponsored by **The C.O.A.S.**, at the Empire Rooms, Tottenham Ct. Rd., commencing with the Waltz Contest. Champions will be declared same night. No long drawn-out heats. Demonstration and adjudication by Sonny Binick and Joyce Hayward, stars of Television, International Ballroom Dancing Champions. Valuable prizes. Entry before dance, 'phone SHO. 5633, or on night. No increase in admission prices. With card 7/6, without 8/6; before 8 p.m. 6/6. Spots, Bars, Novelties. Claude Cavalotti, in person, with his Special Contest Orchestra. Time of contest approximately 9.15 p.m. Don't blame us if you can't get in through coming late. Numbers strictly limited. Watch this column each week for details of each championship.

Amersham, Chesham, and District Hebrew Congregation and Wizo Group. Dance at "Ye Olde Malt Tea House," Broadway, Amersham. 17/6, including Buffet Supper. 8 p.m.-12.

Attention! **West Central Tennis Club** in the news again, presenting a Grand Dance at Grosvenor Rooms, Willesden (opp. Willesden Green Station). Dancing to Claude Cavalotti's Band from 7.30 to 11 p.m. Come along and join in the fun. A hearty welcome is extended to all. Admission 6/-.

J.A.C. Dance by Candlelight. New hall extension: Candlelight Bar. 8 p.m. 1, Broadhurst Gdns., N.W.6. (MAI. 9457.)

Queen's Road Youth Centre presents a grand dance at the Adolph Tuck Hall, Woburn House. Dancing to Alf Vango & his Band from 7.30-11 p.m. Tickets 5/-. S.O.S.! Yes! Oh! Yes! Calling all dancers! Here is a Club Warning! **West Central Jewish Club,** Hand Court (between 56/58, High Holborn, nr. Holborn Stn.), presents yet another super-duper evening of merriment. Music provided by the Embassy Trio. Novelties and Spot Prizes galore. Over 18s only. Come along, meet old friends and make new ones. Members 2/6; Guests 3/6.

SUNDAY, MARCH 8

A **Grosvenor Society** function at the beautifully appointed Empire Rooms, Tottenham Court Rd., W.1. "Dance with the Stars." Non-stop dancing to two top-line bands; Britain's Ace Clarinetist, Frank Weir, & his full Broadcasting Orchestra, featuring Colin Prince, Kenny Kaye; & Jimmy Chester, & Britain's Melody Maker, Top-of-the-Poll Pianist, Ralph Sharon & his Sextet, featuring glamorous June Ramar. Novelties, etc. 7.15 till 11.30 p.m. 7/6. Come early. Limited admission.

SUNDAY, MARCH 8

Adolph Tuck Hall, Woburn Place, W.C.1. Grand gala dance, in aid of **West Central Boys' and Old Boys' Clubs.** Lang Sylvestre's famous Band. Spots, novelties. Adm. before 8 p.m. 4/-. After, 5/-. Come early.

At **The Old Boys' Club,** 241, Mile End Rd., E.1, we do not march to the music of Sousa but dance to the Ron Findon Band. 8 p.m. 2/6.

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J.A.C. Dance by Candlelight. New hall extension: Candlelight Bar. 8 p.m. 1, Broadhurst Gdns., N.W.6. (MAI. 9457.)

J.E.C., Adler House, Adler St., E.1, invites all to an evening of music by Syd Conway & his Band. Com. 7.30 p.m. Members' guests 3/6.

Ninth Annual Jewish Drama Festival, held by the **U.Y.I.S./F.J.Y.S. (S.R.),** at Toynbee Hall Theatre. Tickets 3/6, 5/-, 7/6, 10/6, obtainable in advance from Mr. Derek Hatter, 25, Heathfield Gardens, Golders Green, N.W.11. 'Phone: SPEedwell 2647. Commence 7.30 p.m. Doors open 7 p.m.

Western Aid Society presents George Fierstone (late Skyrockets) & his Band, with England's top vocalist, Ray Burns, also the Celestino Quartette, at London's newest luxury ballroom, the spacious Carlton Rooms, 140, Maida Vale (near Essoldo Cinema). 7.30-11.30. Mems. 6/-. Guests 6/6. Buses, 1, 8, 16, 60 pass the door. Underground station: Kilburn Park.

39 Club, 3, Circus Road, N.W.8 (St. John's Wood tube stn.). Dancing to Howard Keith's Sweet Rhythm, with vocalist. 8-11. Adm. 3/6 (Mems. 2/6). Ex-Serv. Assn.

MONDAY, MARCH 9

The Harmony Club, Egerton Rd., N.16, presents a Grand Dance to Chris Slemming & Band. A.J.Y. Dance-Competition, club heat, during evening. Members 2/-, their guests 3/-. 8 p.m.

TUESDAY, MARCH 10

Merry Vale Jewish Centre, Barclay House, 783, Finchley Road, N.W.11. "The American Constitution." Talk by Mr. Warren M. Campbell. 8.30 p.m.

The Hadassah Club proudly presents, tonight at 8, "The Melody Minstrels" in an evening of Grand Revue and Cabaret, at Poet's Road, Newington Green.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11

J.A.C. Dance by Candlelight. Curtis Shelley & sensational French clavioline. 8 p.m. 1, Broadhurst Gdns., N.W.6. (MAI. 9457.)

THURSDAY, MARCH 12

Nomads Club presents "Showtime Cavalcade," at the Cranbourne, Great Newport, St., W.C.2. 7.45 p.m. Visitors welcome.

SATURDAY, MARCH 14

A **Continental Jewish Club,** 5, Arundel Gdns., W.11 (off Kensington Pk. Rd.). Variety, dance surprises. Members 2/6. 6.45-10 p.m.

SUNDAY, MARCH 15

Greenford Synagogue presents a grand dance. Exhibition Ballroom. Dancers, Violet Barnes and Wally Fryer, Maurice Sinclair's Orchestra. Wembley Town Hall. 7.30 p.m. 12/6 including buffet.

DANCE HALLS, Etc

SATURDAY, MARCH 7

Criterion Club, after successful first night, presents for your entertainment the famous Isy Geiger and his all-star Band at 3, Circus Rd., St. John's Wood (one stop Baker St. Stn.). Admission 4/-. 8-11.30. This is the new club you have been waiting for.

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SUNDAY, MARCH 8

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THURSDAY, MARCH 12

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UNITED FRIENDLY SOCIETY

Lodge Officers Installed

Officers and committee of the Waley Cohen and Berner Lodge (formed after an amalgamation last month) were recently installed by the Grand President of the United Jewish Friendly Society, Bro. J. S. Weyman, assisted by other officers of Grand Lodge, as follows: Sister J. Fine, President; Bros. J. Gee, Vice-President; S. Korn, Treasurer; and Sister D. Renton, Hon. Secretary.

The meeting was preceded by a memorial service for Bro. H. S. Schildkraut, who was General Secretary of the Society. Bro. M. Danceyger officiated.

T.A.C. WOMEN'S SECTION

As a result of a meeting at the House of Commons last week, attended by about 200 members of the T.A.C. and their friends, a Women's Section of the organisation is to be formed. Addresses were given by Lord Silkin and Mr. Maurice Orbach, M.P., President and General Secretary respectively of the T.A.C. Other speakers were Cllr. M. P. Greengross, National Chairman of the Organisation, and Mr. S. Landman.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Muswell Hill Zionists.—At the nineteenth annual meeting of the Muswell Hill Zionist Society, held at the Athenæum, Muswell Hill, recently, the following were elected: Dr. I. S. Fox, Hon. President; Mr. H. L. Grunberg, Chairman; the Rev. M. Elton and Mr. M. H. Morris, Vice-Chairmen; Messrs. C. Harvey, Treasurer; L. Grosse, Assistant Treasurer; J. Alexander, Hon. Secretary; S. Jampel, Assistant Secretary; M. Sorsky, Hon. Auditor; and a committee.

Avigdor Schools Parents' Association.—At the annual meeting of the Parents' Association of the Avigdor Schools (67, Lordship Road, London, N.16) held recently, Mr. S. Cohen, the Treasurer, reported that £600 had been allocated for improvements and amenities for the schools. The following were elected: Mr. S. Goldberg, Chairman; Mr. S. Cohen, Deputy Chairman; Dr. Goorney, Treasurer; Mesdames A. Cohen and F. Minter, Joint Hon. Secretaries; and a committee.

Hackney Mizrachi Women.—A Hackney Mizrachi Women's Society was formed recently at a reception to Mrs. S. M. Lehrman and Mrs. L. Galinski, Hon. Vice-President and Vice-Chairman respectively of the Mizrachi Women's Organisation, at the home of the Rev. J. and Mrs. Herman. Mrs. Barnett Joseph and Mrs. Herman accepted the chairmanship of the Society.

Orphan Aid Society.—A meeting organised by the East London Orphan Aid Society was held at the Old Boys' Club, Mile End, Stepney, last week. Mr. S. Lee presided. The speakers were Mr. Michael Cohen and Mr. Louis Samuel. A film about the orphanage was shown by Mr. Shute. Several new subscribers were enrolled.

Brixton Youth Study Group.—A social and musical evening, arranged by the Brixton Youth Study Group, was held recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Rind, 29, Palace Road, S.W.2. A piano recital was given by Miss Hilda Sacks. Mr. B. Radnor (Director of Bachad) gave a talk on "The Religious Kibbutzim."

Edgware Y.P.C.—At the first annual meeting of the Edgware Branch Young People's Committee of the J.N.F. held last week the following were elected: Mr. Norman Blasebalk, Chairman; Miss Muriel Kelley, Treasurer; and Miss Iris Valentine (64, Mowbray Road, Edgware), Hon. Secretary.

MISSING RELATIVES

Inquiries have been received by THE JEWISH CHRONICLE with regard to the following Missing Relatives, etc.:

Abraham Holz, of Sochatchev, Poland, about 70, came to London about 40 years ago, is sought by Frieda Rahel Gutovich.

Albert Landauer, of Stuttgart, came to England about 1935, is sought by an organisation in London.

Hershel Lempert, uncle, thought to have been in London since 1909, his children and relatives, also Szloma, of Dwinsk, are sought by Zalmen Lempert, in Israel.

Zenon Alma, of Przemysl, is sought by Dr. Mordechai Katz.

Betty and Simon Meirovitch, cousins, children of Maurice and Sophie Meirovitch, from Rumania, thought to be in England, are sought by Maurice Moshe Chahman, son of Carol and Yetty.

A. J. (Abi), Moshe, and Kreindel Lichtenstein, cousins, of Nobiradomsk, Poland, children of Shmuel and Breindel, whose last known address was 31, Great Windmill Street, W., are sought by M. Feirstein, in Israel.

Lothar Goldstein, about 33, late of Krafftgasse 3/1, Vienna, son of Jenny (née Breiner), came to England in 1939, is sought by Adela Preistag (née Juris), in the U.S.A.

Information with regard to the above will be gladly received at the offices of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE, 32, Furnival Street, Holborn, E.C.4, and duly transmitted to the proper quarters.

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Sunday, March 8: 9.15 p.m. Newsreel; 9.30 p.m. Personal Column, by Dr. Walter Eytan; 9.45 p.m. "Thought for Food," the work of Israel's Nutrition Institute.

Monday, March 9: 9.15 p.m. Newsreel and Economic Review; 9.30 p.m. Music of Galilee; 9.45 p.m. "Heard and Read," by Shimon Maidanis.

Tuesday, March 10: 9.15 p.m. Newsreel and Agricultural News; 9.30 p.m. "Music in Our Land," news of musical events; 9.45 p.m. "The Week's News," summarised by Mr. Jack Alexander.

Wednesday, March 11: 9.15 p.m. Newsreel; 9.30 p.m. "On Behalf of Israel," produced by Anita Davis; 9.45 p.m. Sido Belarsky, accompanied by the Kol Yisrael Orchestra.

Thursday, March 12: 9.15 p.m. Newsreel; 9.30 p.m. Here and There, by Mr. Colin Gluckman; 9.35 p.m. "From East to West," musical greetings from Tel Aviv.

Friday, March 13: 9.15 p.m. Shabbat Vayakhel-Pekudei; News, Readings and Legends; 9.30 p.m. Famous Jewish Stories, presented by M. Louvish. (5) Rabbi Akiva; 9.45 p.m. My Zionist Recollections. (4) Sir Leon Simon, C.B.

Saturday, March 14: 9.15 p.m. Shavua Tov, News, Programme Features, M'lava Malka (Women's Choirs); 9.30 p.m. The Week in the Knesset; 9.45 p.m. Melodies of M. Zeira, played by the Kol Yisrael Orchestra.

All comments on the quality of the reception as well as programme suggestions, should be addressed to Mr. N. Englesberg, 77, Gt. Russell Street, London, W.C.1.

BED NAMED AT HOME FOR AGED JEWS

Members of the Masonic Lodge of Israel No. 205 last week named a bed in the Home for Aged Jews, Nightingale Lane, Wandsworth Common, S.W. The Rev. M. Berman, M.B.E., officiated at the consecration service, and the plaque was unveiled by Mr. J. Sonenfield, Treasurer of the Lodge.

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STRENGTHENING U.S.A. ZIONIST MOVEMENT

Jerusalem Agreement Approved

From Our Own Correspondent

NEW YORK

In accordance with the agreement reached in Jerusalem last year between Mr. Ben-Gurion and Rabbi Irving Miller, the President of the Zionist Organisation of America, the American Zionist Council, which represents all Zionist groups in the U.S.A., is to broaden the scope of its co-ordinating activities in order to consolidate and strengthen the movement in America.

The main points of the agreement envisaged the expansion of the Council's programme to include co-ordination of Zionist participation in communal fund-raising for Israel, the strengthening of Jewish and Hebrew education, youth work and chalutziut, and the deepening of Zionist interest in Jewish community life.

The Council, meeting here last Friday, noted that the Jerusalem agreement was not intended to affect the cultural or ideological autonomy of the existing Zionist groups and that the Jewish Agency was prepared to transfer several of its functions to the Council.

The Council will establish machinery to consider the structural changes needed to implement the agreement.

Mr. Louis Lipsky remains Chairman of the Council's Executive. Mrs. Rose Halprin has been elected Vice-Chairman, and Rabbi Miller, Rabbi James Heller, and Mr. Max Kirshblum, members of the Administrative Committee.

The United States Department of Commerce is to co-operate in an economic conference to be held here next week to discuss the rôle of private enterprise in Israel.

The conference sponsored by the Zionist Organisation of America, will deal with a seven-point programme: increasing U.S.A. investments in Israeli industry, trade and agriculture; the promotion of capital imports of goods and cash; the promotion of Israeli exports to the United States; the improvement of conditions for American-Israeli trade; the utilisation of U.S.A. experience and "know-how" in industry and agriculture for the benefit of Israel's economy; the promotion of tourism in Israel; and the fostering of good will between business men in both countries.

"STOP ARMS SHIPMENTS TO ARAB STATES"

American Zionists' Appeal

From Our Own Correspondent

NEW YORK

The American Zionist Council has asked the United States Government to cut off arms shipments to the Arab States until they make peace with Israel and to strengthen the Jewish State militarily and economically.

In a letter sent this week to Mr. John Foster Dulles, the U.S.A. Secretary of State, Mr. Louis Lipsky, the Chairman of the Council, urged the United States to react to Soviet antisemitism by reaffirming its friendship for Israel through military and economic aid.

The letter questioned the validity of the argument that the type of arms under consideration for delivery to Egypt was not likely to be used for an attack on Israel. The Soviet campaign, added Mr. Lipsky, had emboldened anti-Israeli elements in the Arab world who, if granted American and British arms, would further imperil the prospects of peace in the Middle East.

The Council urged that no arms should be made available to the Arabs until they ended their blockade and boycott of Israel, while they persisted in their refusal to make peace with the Jewish State, and until they agreed to join in the defence of the free world.

A BAKER'S DOZEN

From Our Own Correspondent

NEW YORK

As part of the celebrations here in connection with Purim, twelve elderly residents of the New York Home of Old Israel—all named Esther—joined in the baking of Hamantaschen. The youngest Esther was aged 68 and the oldest 91.

"CLEMENCY DINNER" FOR THE ROSENBERGS

From Our Own Correspondent

NEW YORK

The Rosenbergs' Clemency Committee has stated that Mr. Sidney Silverman, M.P., has accepted an invitation to attend a "clemency dinner" in New York on March 18. Mr. Silverman is said to have applied for a visa.

The Committee also states that French Reform rabbis had sent an appeal for clemency for the Rosenbergs to Mr. Truman in January, but received no acknowledgment.

It is reported that Julius Rosenberg has sent a telegram to his lawyer denying that he had refused the services of rabbis.

EMIGRATION TO ISRAEL FROM LATIN AMERICA

From our Correspondent

BUENOS AIRES

Since the establishment of Israel and up to October, 1952, the number of Latin American emigrants to the State totalled 2,889. Of these, 1,027 came from Argentina, 395 from Brazil, 62 from Mexico, 180 from Chile, 224 from Uruguay, 68 from Colombia, 29 from Venezuela, 23 from Peru, and the rest from other South American countries.

NEW YORK—The B'nai B'rith has asked its 310 lodges throughout the United States to arrange public meetings this month to enlist the aid of people of all faiths in combating "the Soviet policy of defamation of the Jewish people."—(J.C. Correspondent).

U.N. AND ANTI-JEWISH CAMPAIGN

Britain's Attitude

From our United Nations Correspondent

NEW YORK

Britain will intervene in the forthcoming United Nations debate on antisemitism in Eastern Europe, it was announced here this week by a British spokesman. Britain, he said, considered this issue an important matter.

His announcement followed a statement by the Soviet Foreign Minister, M. Vishinsky, who, addressing the Assembly's Political Committee, rejected as a "mendacious allegation" the charge made by the American delegate that Russia was persecuting Christians, Moslems, and Jews.

The majority of the Latin-American delegations, it is reported, will support Israel when the Jewish question in Eastern Europe is discussed by the Assembly.

U.S. SENATE DENOUNCES SOVIET "PERSECUTION"

From our Correspondent

WASHINGTON

The United States Senate last Friday unanimously passed a resolution denouncing "the vicious and inhuman persecution of racial and religious minorities" in Russia and the satellite States.

It added an amendment to the resolution urging President Eisenhower to appeal to the United Nations to take suitable action under its charter to oppose the "Soviet outrages." Introducing the amendment, Senator Ives urged that the resolution be strengthened in order to impress Russia that "the United States means business" by its action.

A spirited discussion preceded the vote. Many Senators of both parties expressed strong condemnation of Russia's campaign and its decision to sever relations with Israel.

SWISS WOMEN MARRIED TO FOREIGNERS

Citizenship Rights

From our Correspondent

ZURICH

The Swiss authorities have promulgated a new Federal Citizenship Law under which Swiss-born women who have lost their citizenship through marrying foreigners may regain it free of charge on application to the Federal Justice and Police Department.

The Union of Swiss Jewish Communities believes that many Jewish women are affected by the new legislation. It points out that Swiss women who marry foreigners may now retain their citizenship if they make application to the authorities in Switzerland or to Swiss diplomatic or consular representatives abroad.

EDUCATION POST FOR NAZI PROPAGANDIST

From our Correspondent

DÜSSELDORF

Dr. Hans Wilhelmsmeyer, a well-known antisemite, has been appointed head of the Education Department of the Ministry of Culture in North Rhine-Westphalia.

As an author and orator, Wilhelmsmeyer took an active part in the Nazi campaign against the Jews. The North Rhine-Westphalian trade unions have protested against his appointment and demanded his immediate resignation.

Kidnapped Orphans

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to arrange for the return of the Finaly children to France. The French prelates have intimated their strong desire to comply with the verdict of the Grenoble Court of Appeal, which has ordered the restoration of the children to their family.

"The material interests of the Church are being jeopardised in this conflict with the State," the prelates have declared to the Rabbinate, "but we have our fanatics, as you have yours, and on theological, if not on legal, grounds, our fanatics are in a strong position. When once the children were baptised, the Church became their spiritual mother—and a mother cannot disown her children."

In the view of the Rabbinate the next few days will be decisive. If at the end of this week the children are not found, then the Rabbinate will consider the Church to be either unable or unwilling to surrender the Jewish war orphans whom its own priests have abducted and hidden away.

No Action by the Vatican

According to a special correspondent in Rome of the Paris daily FRANCE-SOIR, a Vatican spokesman stated this week that the Holy See did not intend to intervene in the Finaly affair because to do so would be merely to "add to the gravity of the affair and draw world attention to it" and, furthermore, it was contrary to papal practice to impinge on the jurisdiction of bishops in their own dioceses. On doctrinal grounds, the Vatican spokesman fully approved the action of the kidnappers: now that the children were baptised, the Church recognised them as belonging to it and would always insist on their right to live and be educated as good Catholics.

Apparently, as far as the Church is concerned, the Finaly affair is closed. Significantly, the well-informed Catholic writer and Nobel prize-winner, M. François Mauriac, contributed to the daily FIGARO on Tuesday a front-page editorial on the Finaly affair entitled: "A last word." In this "last word" he appealed to Jewry not to consider Robert and Gerald Finaly as "dead" because they were lost to Judaism, but to rejoice because they had escaped physical extermination at the hands of the Nazis. Pointing to "the gallows which have been erected and which will not remain idle" in Eastern Europe for the renewed extermination of Jews, M. Mauriac pleaded with Jewry to forget the Finaly orphans—a conflict which he claimed to have been engendered by "excess of love"—and to make common cause with the Church against the Communist enemy.

As far as the French Government is concerned, the Finaly affair is by no means closed; but ways and means are being sought of ending an embarrassing situation as painlessly and swiftly as possible. The French Minister of Justice, M. Martinaud-Deplat, has hinted at the imminent liberation of the five Basque kidnappers, including four priests, arrested last week. No legal action is to be taken against a dozen other priests, many of them in exalted positions, known to have been implicated in the abduction of the children.

Parliamentary Debate

In the French Parliament a Socialist motion calling for an early debate on the Finaly affair was defeated on Tuesday by 390 votes to 227. Many times angrily interrupted by the Right and applauded by the Left, M. Berthet (Socialist) declared that the Finaly affair was creating disturbances and dividing the country. He accused the press of tendentious reporting.

The Minister of Justice opposed the motion, claiming that the Finaly affair was non-political and came solely within the jurisdiction of the law courts. He admitted that several Deputies and Senators of the Basque country had made representations to him for the release of the Basque priests imprisoned for their part in the abduction of the Finaly children. He pointed out, however, that he was unaware in advance of the purpose of their visit.

He had sent out a circular to all French magistrates instructing them to reduce preventive detention to the minimum. All those who had been arrested in connection with the Finaly affair were being held in "preventive detention." Their total was increased to 13 on Tuesday when the police arrested the Mother Superior of the Notre Dame de Sion Convent, of Marseilles.

M. Gascon, the lawyer representing the Finaly family, has filed a strong plea against the provisional release of the kidnappers of the Finaly children. It is announced that the French Supreme Court, which in the normal course of routine would not have examined the Finaly case for a year or two, will pronounce its verdict shortly.

The Minister of Justice said on Tuesday that the Supreme Court judgment would be final and that all parties would be compelled to abide by it.

Public feeling is still running high in this *cause célèbre*; but the official belief is that eventually the excitement will die down and, in the normal course of events, some other diversion is bound to turn up to occupy the public mind. So far, French Jewry have been loud in their protests; but not too loud, fearing to attract upon themselves too much attention.

ELIASHIV RETURNS FROM MOSCOW

Vishinsky's Attitude

From Our Own Correspondent

JERUSALEM

Dr. Shmuel Eliashiv, the former Israeli Minister to Moscow, returned here from Moscow last Friday.

He told reporters that he had been inaccurately quoted by the MANCHESTER GUARDIAN as saying that there was a dividing line between Soviet anti-Zionism and antisemitism.

Other members of the Moscow Legation staff are expected to arrive within a few days.

Another arrival from behind the Iron Curtain on Friday was Mr. Joseph Walter, former Attaché at the Israeli Legation in Budapest, who was recently expelled by the Hungarian authorities for "spying." He refused to comment on the position of Hungarian Jewry, saying that "a statement by me can only harm them."

At a press conference in Tel Aviv, reports the J.T.A., Dr. Eliashiv said that, when Russia decided to break with Israel, he was given 15 minutes' notice to appear before Mr. Vishinsky. "Strong words" were exchanged at the meeting. He was asked to leave the country the following day. But following an exchange of letters between the Israeli Legation and the Soviet Office of Protocol his departure was postponed. The Israeli Legation was heavily guarded from the time of the Tel Aviv explosion.

CZECH SPY SUSPECT LEAPS TO DEATH

TEL AVIV

Joseph Kopitzki, a 32-year-old Czech citizen who was suspected of being a leader of a Czech spy ring in Israel, jumped to his death when police searched his Tel Aviv flat last week, it is reported here.

Important documents were said to have been found in the flat, including a list of Czech immigrants maintaining contact with relatives in Czechoslovakia and a report on the activities of Mordecai Oren, the Mapam leader awaiting trial in Prague on espionage charges. The documents showed that Kopitzki was a senior reserve officer in the Czech Army and regularly paid membership dues to the Czech Communist Party.

Kopitzki, who died in hospital, was not a Jew. Before leaping from a third-floor balcony he was reported to have said: "This will cost the lives of scores of Jews in Czechoslovakia." At one time Kopitzki served in the Israeli Army.—(Reuter)

AN IMMIGRANT FROM RUSSIA

From our Correspondent

HAIFA

Zlota Kushanski, a 65-year-old Jewess from Kishinev, arrived here last Friday on board the Negbah. She is the first immigrant from Russia since that country severed diplomatic relations with Israel.

Mrs. Kushanski was met by her two sons, whom she had not seen for 15 years. She refused to make a detailed statement on the position of Russian Jewry, but commented: "A sword hangs over the heads of 2,500,000 Jews in Russia."

GOLD SHEKALIM TO BE REINTRODUCED

From Our Own Correspondent

JERUSALEM

Gold shekalim are again to be circulated in Israel through a scheme being carried out by the J.N.F. in conjunction with the Government.

By an agreement made with a Birmingham firm of minters named Montagu, a minimum of 100,000 and a maximum of 1,000,000 such coins—containing the same amount of gold as sovereigns—will be minted as the first series.

The J.N.F. will try to sell these coins abroad against hard currency and to make a profit by selling them at the same market price as sovereigns.

The J.N.F. will also sell a limited number of coins to the Israeli Government against Israeli currency, and the Government have decided to offer them for free convertibility usable as currency in Israel.

I understand that the J.N.F. is paying the minters in hard currency.

MR. HOROWITZ'S POST

From Our Own Correspondent

JERUSALEM

Mr. David Horowitz, former Director-General of the Israeli Finance Ministry, has been appointed Director of the Israel Central Bank, which is to be established shortly.

Mr. Horowitz has the task of making all necessary preparations for the creation of the Central Bank, which will take over from the Bank Leumi le-Israel all Government financial business, including the issue of currency.

BILL SAFEGUARDING STATE SECURITY

Death Penalty for Treason

From Our Own Correspondent

JERUSALEM

The death penalty for treason in time of war, and ten years' imprisonment for participating in the activities of illegal organisations are among the provisions of a new Bill tabled in the Knesset on Tuesday.

Officers in illegal armed forces would be liable to life imprisonment. Incitement against a foreign State or its diplomatic representatives, which could endanger friendly relations between Israel and another Power, would be punishable by ten years' imprisonment. Illegal or subversive organisations are defined as those plotting against the security of the State or against the security of the Jewish people.

A clause in the original draft of the Bill, which would have made it a punishable offence to publish reports of secret meetings of the Cabinet or Knesset Committees, was withdrawn after consultation between the Minister of Justice and press representatives.

COMPENSATING BRITISH SECURITY HOLDERS

From Our Own Correspondent

JERUSALEM

Payment by the Government to Israeli owners of British securities, which were compulsorily handed over last year, is provided for in a new Bill tabled this week. The new price for compensation will be based on 280 per cent of the nominal cost price of the security as against 180 per cent paid hitherto, which was the subject of litigation in the High Court.

Owners disputed the legality of the payment in view of the official exchange rates between sterling and the Israeli pounds. The Government pays in Israeli securities or dollar bond issues, which are negotiable.

The sterling represented by these securities has long been expended by Israel as part of the release of balances held over from the Mandatory period. The new prices will impose an additional burden on taxpayers of about I£4,500,000.

AGENCY EXECUTIVE TO MEET IN JERUSALEM

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

The meeting of members of the Jerusalem and New York branches of the Jewish Agency Executive, due to have been held in Zurich, will now take place in Jerusalem on Sunday, it is announced by the London Office of the Agency.

Reparations Decision

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speedy decision to avoid any delay in the ratification of the treaty.

The Shipping Clause of the Reparations Agreement, contained in Article 8 (c), says that if the Government of Israel employs German shipping lines for the transport of commodities, the freight required shall be paid in marks and shall be charged against the amount set aside for services under the Agreement. Sea freight payable in any currency other than marks shall be paid by Israel out of funds other than those obtained under the Agreement.

In a Letter, No. 6a, signed by the head of the German delegation, Dr. Boehm, and appended to the Agreement, it is stated that in so far as commodities will be carried in ships sailing under the Israeli flag and owned by Israeli shipping lines, sea freight shall be borne by Israel.

The Government of the Federal Republic of Germany, it said, intends that commodities not shipped by Israeli lines shall be carried in shipping space to be made available by the Federal Republic of Germany. The ships to be used shall be those sailing under the flag of a third country, and the payment of freight shall be effected in marks out of moneys set aside for the provision of services.

The particulars of such shipping operations shall be arranged through agencies to be designated by the contracting parties and shall be adjusted to prevailing circumstances. Freight charges generally prevailing in the market shall be charged. If shipping space is made available out of a "Conference-Line," the general freight tariffs of such "Conference-Line" shall be charged, and any special conditions applicable thereto shall apply.

It also emphasised that if these arrangements prove inadequate for the shipping of commodities, the Government of Israel shall be entitled to make other shipping arrangements.

The Israelis agreed to this.

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